EYEWITNESS STORY OF GREAT SEA FIGHT

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REPORT KIELCE AGAIN TAKEN BY GERMANS

FAIR

THE WEATHER.
Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder tonight. Moderate variable winds.
Sun rises 7:04, sets 4:50.
High tide 7:30 a. m., 8 p. m.
Moon sets 3:42 a. m.

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HOW TO PLAY ROULETTE TOLD TO TOODLES JURY

MANSFIELD ON STAND TELLS OF GAME SECRETS

After telling the jury how to play roulette at the wheel, Harry K. Mansfield, owner of the Ferncroft, on the stand under cross-examination today in the trial of Miss Elizabeth M. Ryan's $50,000 suit against him, was shown a pack of "marked" cards by Attorney Daniel H. Coakley, who said:

"I propose to show that the witness taught Miss Ryan how to play these crooked cards."

Mansfield denied that he had ever shown the plaintiff "marked cards" and when asked if he himself would know such a deck he replied: "Never."

The witness showed a book describing roulette. This book Mansfield got at Monte Carlo. He followed with a description of "playink the wheel," closing with:

"You bet it will come red or black. You win or lose according to where the ball drops.

"If it lands in a number on which you don't put your money, you don't win. There is an equal number of reds and an equal number of blacks."

"MIGHT INCRIMINATE HIM."

Mansfield refused to answer questions relating to alleged gambling at his inn, on the ground that answers "might tend to incriminate him." He declined to reply to this question:

"Wasn't Miss Ryan in the room many, many times when you played—wasn't she there so much that she became so proficient from watching you and Morrill at the wheel that later she took Merrill's place and became your professional wheel spinner?"

He also refused to answer a question asking her if "Morrill hadn't gotten up in the night and 'fixed' the roulette wheel?"

Witness said the Watch and Ward Society's raid on the Inn in 1914 had hurt his business; that Miss Ryan had sold cigars at the inn counter several times; that she frequently "played

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Baby Gives Alarm, Families Flee Fire

Natt Simonds, two months old boy in the family of Lewis Simonds, 542 Washington street, gave the first alarm for fire and smoke which drove seven adults and children into the freezing air early today at Quincy Point.

Samuel Sawaya, owner of a combination pool room and lunch room on the first floor, was arrested later on complaint of Fire Chief Faxon Billings. In Quincy District Court he was held in $1,000 for a continued hearing next Saturday on a charge of setting fire to a building.

The families of Lewis Simonds and Peter Anton live over Sawaya's store. The Simonds baby was awakened by smoke and began to cry. All escaped in night clothing.

William Leahy, chauffeur for Chief Faxon, severed an artery in his right wrist breaking a window. He lost considerable blood before the artery was closed by a physician.

White House Baby Corners Shoe Crop

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Francis Sayre, the White House baby, is now known as the "Shoe King." President Wilson's grandson probably has the greatest collection of footwear in the United States. Less than two weeks old, he has been given samples of every variety of shoe. Manufacturers from every section of the country have shipped him a pair of their finest product. Letters accompanying the gifts boost the merits of the articles in phrases that would make P. T. Barnum blush.

"MOTHER" JONES GREETS JOHN D., JR., AT HEARING; MILLIONAIRE SAYS HER WORK INTERESTS HIM

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and "Mother" Jones.

A MANLY APOLOGY HANDSOMELY MADE

From the Harvard Crimson.

On January 9, 1915, the Crimson in an editorial attacked the Boston AMERICAN for what it believed to be a misstatement of fact, whereas the Crimson was not justified in so doing, the AMERICAN being actually and technically right and the Crimson misinformed. The Crimson did all in its power to rectify the mistake at the time of issue and less than three hundred copies with this editorial appeared.

The Harvard Crimson regrets that it made such an unjust attack on the Boston AMERICAN and withdraws the charges made in that editorial.

Duke De Lorge Dies Fighting for France

PARIS, Jan. 26.—Duke de Lorge, head of the Durfort-Civrac family, is reported killed in battle January 23. He was struck in the head by the splinter of a German shell. The Duke, who was twenty-five years old, was a sub-lieutenant.

STEAMSHIP SINKS WITH SCHOONER

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 26.—Rammed by the schooner Elizabeth Palmer just before dawn, the steamship Washingtonian of the American-Hawaiian steamship line sank within a few moments, carrying down with her one member of the crew. The schooner also sank.

Thirty-nine members of the Washingtonian's crew and the eight men comprising the crew of the Elizabeth Palmer were rescued by the old Dominion liner Hamilton and lifeboats from Lightship No. 72, which is stationed at Fenwick Island, south of Cape Henlopen, near which the disaster occurred.

The man lost was a water tender named Meyer. Several members of the Washingtonian's crew were in a serious condition when picked up. Their clothing was frozen stiff. At the time of the accident many of the Washingtonian's crew were asleep.

The schooner, driven by a forty-mile gale, was speeding like an express train when she hit the Washingtonian amidships.

Russians to Open Council and Duma

PETROGRAD, Jan. 26.—An imperial decree was issued today for the opening of the Council of State on January 30 and the Duma on February 9.

CALL FORMER MORGUE MEN CONSPIRATORS

Conspiracy to deprive Medical Examiner George B. Magrath of his office through a larceny charge is the accusation made by the State against Fred L. Green, George W. Miller and Thomas H. Kingston, former employes in the North Grove Street Morgue, at their trial before Chief Justice Aiken and Jury in the Suffolk Superior Criminal Court.

The three defendants are also charged with stealing $250 from the body of Timothy H. O'Brien, a painter, who fell dead in the Bay State Trust Company building.

When Dr. Magrath's term expired, about a year ago, Governor Walsh did not reappoint him, although he has continued to hold office since. It is said his reappointment was held up because of talk of conspiracy. In opening the case for the state, Assistant District Attorney Daniel V. Melsane said to the jury: "We will show you that these three defendants conspired to prevent the appointment of their chief, Dr. Magrath, and signed charges that were presented to the Governor in opposition to his reappointment.

In regard to money found upon O'Brien, the prosecutor said the State would show that men hired by the undertakers removed the body to the morgue, and that one of the men asked Fred L. Green to search for money which he heard was on the deceased. It is claimed that Green found $250.

The State, Mr. Melsane said, would show that Dr. Magrath instructed Kingston, another defendant, to search the body and that the Medical Examiner received from Him $60 accounting including $120.80.

The assistant district attorney also said it would be shown that Miller, the third defendant, went to Policeman Kelly of the Bay State and, a relative of the dead man, to find out how much money was turned over to him, and on being told that $120.80, told Kelly that there had been $250, that Miller then got Mr. Walsh, an undertaker's employe, to sign an affidavit that he had been $250 taken from the body and tried to get Walsh to do so, but that Walsh, refusing, informed Dr. Magrath, and the latter notified the district attorney's office.

Big Force of Policemen Guards Young Rockefeller at Industrial Relations Inquiry.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—When John D. Rockefeller appeared today for the second time as a witness before the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations the presence of twenty detectives and six policemen in uniform showed that the police department was taking elaborate precautions to guard him from possible injury.

The board of estimate room in City Hall, where the commission is conducting its inquiry into the Rockefeller, Carnegie, Russell Sage and Baron de Hirsch foundations, and also into the relations between capital and labor, was crowded to overflowing.

One of the first persons to greet Mr. Rockefeller when he appeared was "Mother" Jones, who is known far and near for her labors in behalf of the miners.

It was too early for the hearing to begin when Mr. Rockefeller arrived, and so, after shaking hands with "Mother" Jones, he sat down, with the aged woman at his side.

"I have heard a lot about your work and am interested in what you have been doing," said the young millionaire earnestly.

"I have often wanted to meet you," replied "Mother" Jones. "I tried to see you last Summer during the strike troubles in Colorado, but failed."

"I am sorry not to have seen you," answered Rockefeller. "I shall be glad to do anything I can for you or give you any information you want."

Maxine Elliott Off on Belgian Aid Trip

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Maxine Elliott is outfitting a provision barge for the destitute inhabitants of Flanders. She left London today for Calais.

Miss Elliott has supervised the building of a motor barge by Belgian troops for the trip up the Flanders waterways.

"I have moved from London to Flanders," she said, "and shall remain until the end of the war. I am spending my whole income on this venture in addition to the help from my friends."

'Joffre Most Silent Man,' Says Lipton

PARIS, Jan. 26.—Sir Thomas Lipton, en route to Serbia with a Red Cross party, visited the battlefields today and collected trophies. He dined on General Joffre.

"General Joffre," he said, "is the most silent man I ever met. He is as quiet as a sphinx and equally inscrutable, but, believe me, everything is right with the allies," said Sir Thomas.

Divine Services on Kaiser's Birthday

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—Announcement is made that the celebration of the Kaiser's fifty-sixth birthday tomorrow in imperial court circles will be confined to divine services.

"STEADY RETURN OF PROSPERITY IN U. S." SAYS PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—"There is a slow but steady return to prosperity in the United States. Unemployment has been exaggerated for partisan effect," said President Wilson to his callers today. He declared that all signs point to a return of normal conditions and that no depression exists west of the Mississippi. Reports of improved conditions are reaching the White House from many authentic sources.

The chief executive said the census of the jobless, now being taken in New York city by the Department of Labor would be extended to other cities if the necessary appropriation were available.

BROWN IN FINAL PLEA FOR HEARING

E. Gerry Brown was scheduled to make his final plea this afternoon before the legislative Committee on Rules for an investigation into the removal from the office of Supervisor of Small Loan Agencies.

The question seems to be: "What can this committee do?"

Senator Henry G. Wells of Haverhill, one of the veteran Republican members, said before the hearing:

"I have talked this matter over informally with other members of the Committee on Rules and there seems to be a grave doubt as to just what the committee can do.

"Several members feel that sufficient evidence has been presented by Mr. Brown to warrant a formal investigation of the case.

"Personally, I feel that the committee should recommend an impartial investigation by a legislative committee to determine whether or not Mr. Brown properly conducted his office as in regard to the rules of interest and the paper charges that he allowed to be collected by the money lenders.

"From a political viewpoint, it would be extremely unwise to criticise the Governor or the Executive department, even though we have that power."

The hearing was set for 3:30. At the opening session of the rules committee on this matter former Lieutenant-Governor Barry was questioned at length by Mr. Brown. It was understood that Mr. Barry would be there today, prepared to answer more questions Mr. Brown wished to put to him.

So far Mr. Barry has been the only witness. He was there as a witness for Mr. Brown. No witness against Mr. Brown has been announced so far.

Albertson Trial to Open Monday

Police who have collected evidence against the men indicted for the murder of Maurice Albertson, a Lawrence jewelry salesman, no longer expect the mother, sister and sweetheart of Biagio Falzone, one of the accused, to come to this country to aid him. The women were expected from Italy last week, but did not arrive, and no steamship passenger list, so far, bears their names among those now on the ocean.

Chief of Police Pollard of Wakefield and State Police have held another conference with District Attorney Corcoran as to the evidence to be presented at the trial, beginning Monday, of Falzone and Ignacio Morello, charged with first degree murder, and Luigi Grassadonio, accused of being an accessory before the fact.

Union Stock Yards Again Quarantined

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—The Union Stock Yards here were placed under federal quarantine today. Shipments of livestock from Chicago to any part of the United States were prohibited by the order. Discovery of several cases of foot and mouth disease led to the embargo.

FIRST DETAILS OF GREAT BRITISH NAVAL VICTORY AS TOLD BY AN EYEWITNESS

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The first eyewitness account of the North Sea naval battle in which the German battle cruiser Blucher was sunk, shows that the marvellous accuracy of the British gunners was chiefly responsible for their victory. The story, which was told by Seaman Minnis, a bluejacket on the English battle cruiser Lion, follows:

"We had been waiting for a crack at the Germans for weeks. We were on patrol duty when the message reached the flagship that the Germans were at last on the move.

"Scarcely afterward we sighted them and about the same time they sighted us. The Germans turned tail as quickly as they could change their course, and we were after them like mad. The gunners were at their posts as soon as we got the range of the flying ships. The Lion's roar was certainly loud enough to put the fear of God into the hearts of the baby-killers.

"Their biggest ship was nearest us. Though she was steaming like fury, we never lost her. She was a splendid target for our guns, which sent shot after shot into her.

"All the time our other ships were blasting away at the enemy. The first shots fell short, but when we got the right range of the ship we were engaging she was soon done for. The first shot that took effect upon her sent one of her guns flying into the air. The next tore a hole in her side, just above the water line, big enough for a torpedo boat destroyer to get into."

The reiterated assertions in Berlin that one or more of the British ships engaged in the North Sea battle had been sunk are beginning to wear on the patience of the Britons. Though these claims are generally regarded as being given out "for home consumption" in Germany, the public believes that more official details of the conflict might be vouchsafed.

A statement made by the captain of a Dutch trawler, the Erica, at Ymuiden, and telegraphed here, says that he saw one British ship strewn by German shells, but thought it was not seriously damaged. These are the only details of the battle received here from any source except Berlin.

That nine-tayers have so far come off the north coast of Ireland for British warships is indicated by an announcement that the merchant vessel Viknor has been lost off the Irish coast and that bodies and wreckage have been washed ashore. Though the official announcement said that their might have either foundered or been sunk by a mine, the general belief here is that the latter was the case, because another ship was blown up in the same locality.

CONSERVE GERMAN SUPPLIES OF FOOD

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—The federal council of Germany has put into effect sweeping regulations for the conservation of the food supply, as follows:

All stocks of corn, wheat and flour are to be seized by February 1.

All business transactions in these commodities are forbidden from January 26.

All municipalities are charged with the duty of setting aside suitable supplies of preserved meat.

All stocks of corn are ordered to report their stocks immediately, whereupon confiscation, at a fixed price, will follow.

A government distributing office for the regulation of consumption will be established, distribution being made according to the number of inhabitants.

BERLIN REPORTS KIELCE RETAKEN

LONDON, Jan. 26.—A news agency dispatch from Berlin says a message from Cracow reports that an Austro-German force has captured Kielce, Poland.

News of the capture of Kielce by the Germans was sent out by the AMERICAN staff correspondent at Petrograd on January 19. Since that time, according to advices from both Petrograd and Berlin received by the AMERICAN, the Russians have again taken the offensive and forced the Germans from Kielce and Opocano back toward the Pilica River.

Additional War News on Page 2.

Do You Know How Fast Boston Is Growing?

A few years ago a prominent real estate firm was criticised for opening up a now popular sub-division.

People said: "It's too far out."

But now it's thickly populated and within easy riding distance. The first any one knew about this sub-division was when the advertising began to appear in the newspapers.

Read the real estate advertising in the classified pages of the American and you'll get a pretty good line on how fast Boston is growing.

You'll be surprised to learn how rapidly it is expanding in every possible direction.

And in many of these sections there are splendid home sites and opportunities for investment.

The real estate advertising, in fact, reflects Boston's growth more surely than any other sign. Keep track of it from day to day and you'll not envy the pioneers who got in "on the ground floor." There are quite a number of ground floors remaining in Boston for those who read the classified advertising carefully and continuously.

Boston American
Boston's Want Ad Directory

TURKISH ARMY OF 80,000 TO INVADE EGYPT

Russians Massing Great Force in Bukowina; Italy's War Preparations Complete.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The report from Athens that an army of 80,000 Turks is ready for the invasion of Egypt is the most interesting feature of the Arisch, on the Mediterranean, and war news of the day, the official re- $2,000 at El Akaba, at the head ports from the various capitals in- of the Gulf of Akaba. These two forts dicating very little change in the dominate the caravan routes to the situation on the great battle fronts, canal through the Sinai peninsula. East and West.

Of the forces that are to invade Egypt, the Athens dispatch says 48,000 have been concentrated at El

In repulsing an attack by a German battalion upon the trenches to the east of Ypres at dawn yesterday, French troops killed 300 men in the assailing force. The news of this sharp engagement, indicating that the Germans are making their efforts to break through the allied lines near Ypres, was given in the official statement issued at Paris this afternoon. Heavy fighting has also been in progress in Flanders, where the Belgians have made some progress along the Yser front.

The Germans are also on the offensive in the region of Lalaing, having launched five attacks against the British lines. The German assaults near Lalaing gave them a slight advantage, but they were later repulsed.

TRENCHES RETAKEN.

"On the rest of the front between Lys and the Aisne there was an artillery duel," continues the official Communique. "To the west of Craonne the enemy made two successive attacks of extreme violence. The first was repulsed; the second penetrated our trenches, but with an energetic counter attack our troops regained almost all the lost ground. The fact is sometimes pointed out that part of the trench still held by the Germans, in Champagne, while the enemy's artillery is showing less activity than formerly, our own batteries have acted effectively upon the German positions.

"In the Argonne, in the region of Le Hurlet, we broke up with our artillery fire an infiltrated attack.

"In Alsace the enemy has actively employed his bomb throwers against our positions at Hartmannsweiler Kopf. No new fighting has taken place there.

"He has bombarded Thann, Lanbach and Senticim."

DRIVE BRITISH BACK.

The capture of 1,100 yards of trenches held by British troops south of the canal of La Bassee was announced in an official report from German headquarters given out in Berlin this afternoon. It says that the German troops took these positions by storm, also capturing two strong points of support. The British losses in this conflict were heavy, the statement adds, although those of the Germans were comparatively small. The report of the German staff follows:

"In the western theatre of war, the enemy, as is customary, issued Middelkerke and Westende under fire yesterday. A large number of the inhabitants were killed or injured by the artillery fire, including the Burgomaster of Westende.

"Our losses yesterday were quite small, though we were attacking the positions of the English on both sides of Lalaasen Canal. While our attacks north of the canal, between Givenchy and the canal, did not lead to the capture of any English position owing to a strong flanking movement an attack by our troops from Badeu, south of the canal, met with complete success. In this region considerable size is in progress above Warwaw, in the neighborhood of Bolimow.

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MASSING NEAR LILLE.

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In West Flanders the rival armies were again engaged in an artillery duel on Monday. The French and British artillery are greatly assisted by their airmen, and it has come to be the boast of the English and French officers that their aviators are more daring, skilful and efficient than the Germans.

ITALY IS PREPARED.

Italy's military and naval preparations for war are complete, Rome dispatches announce. They have cost a round billion of dollars, enormous difficulties have been overcome, but Italy is at last prepared. This is Italy's military strength:

First and second line troops, 1,296,000.

Reserves, 2,160,000.

The first and second line troops are men between the ages of twenty and twenty-nine; the reserves are men between thirty and thirty-nine.

The navy is already mobilized under command of the Duke of Abruzzi. Two more dreadnoughts will be commissioned in February. They will increase the fighting power of the Italian navy tremendously.

Every Italian in touch with official affairs is confident that when Italy enters the war one the side of the allies she will be able to strike a tremendous blow at Germany and Austria.

BIG RUSSIAN INVASION.

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It's Grandmother's recipe to bring back color, thickness and lustre —Everybody is using it again.

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully and removes dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.—Advertisement.

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"Pape's Cold Compound" ends severe colds or grippe in few hours.

Relief comes instantly.

A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world acts such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance. It's harmless and tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine. For sale by Riker-Jaynes and all good druggists.—Advertisement.

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To avoid detection you must buy the Natural Gums with Pearl Teeth. Gold crowns $5, bridge work $5, gold fillings $1. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Extraction FREE when sets are ordered. All work positively painless.

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Domet flannel, taffeta flannel, mercerized cotton, woven madras and teasledown domets. Stripes and plain colors, silk loops and silk braid. All sizes, FULL dimensions.

$2.50 Pajamas
$3 Pajamas . .
$3.50 Pajamas
$1.65

Eden cloth, silk and cotton, mercerized cotton, satin and silk striped taffeta flannel, jacquard effects. Plain colors and stripes, all silk trimmed, silk loops. All sizes.

$4 Pajamas . .
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$2.85

Pajamas of pure silk, French flannels and silk and wool mixtures. Beautiful stripes and novelty effects. All silk trimmed and looped.

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Any morning you leave home in a hurry, try the FILENE SANITARY NO-TIP BARBER SHOP.

NELLIE BLY FEARS POISONED BULLET

The following is a continuation of the dispatches of Miss Nellie Bly, special correspondent for the Boston AMERICAN with the Austrian armies.

By NELLIE BLY.

VYVIDEK, opposite Peterwardein, Hungary, Nov. 16.—I don't think I am destined to write much about my experience at this point. I think I was poisoned by the Servian bullet which Dr. MacDonald showed me the last thing before leaving Budapest.

Some wounded soldier had brought it in. It was a large, fierce contrivance made to enter the body and explode afterwards. Fastened around between the cap and lead was a bit of cloth and a smear of soft substance, pinkish white, said to be poison.

Dr. MacDonald warned me to be careful. I thought I was careful, but agony I have endured for three nights and two days convinces me I was less careful than I imagined. I have the most agonizing pains from instep to waist, a fever and a mass of inflamed boils from ankle to knee to not comforting.

But I will say nothing. I would not be pronounced ill and left behind. We are lying on the opposite side from the very picturesque fort of Peterwardein.

A low bridge on boats, which is doubled up to allow vessels to pass, is used for foot and traffic. Great crowds of soldiers are continually moving when the bridge is closed. The railroad bridge is high in the air and the trains seem to go through a tunnel under the fort. Beyond the fort, in the valley lies a small German village. I have not seen it, but from its clean, trim appearance discloses its nationality at once.

MONITOR ON RIVER.

A monitor has come down the Danube and is now along the opposite bank. Its color is so marvelous that it is completely lost in the color of the bank and foliage. Only the men on board in dark blue suits are visible. Even with the men had disappeared we all declared it had gone. Even at this close distance it could not be seen except by careful searching.

The only thing interesting coming down the Danube were the rafts. They are clustered along everywhere. They are formed by two boats with prows like Venetian gondolas. A water wheel, large and energetic, hangs between them. Every boat has a cabin on it and it looks as if a family inhabits each one. I see women and children on them.

I left Budapest at 5 p. m. Saturday. Mr. Galler, the owner of the Astoria, would no charge against me for my exquisite room and bath. Crowds of my former companions from the Prussian frontier at Alt Sandez went tumbling with their bags out of conveyances. They were nearly all newly clad in knee breeches, cap, sweater and leather coat. I felt very shabby in my old clothes.

RECEIVED AT BOAT.

At the entrance to the boat stood a group of gentlemen.

"You are Miss Bly?" said one, stepping forward.

"I am Captain Signio. Please let me show you your rooms."

It was a splendid suite. The reception room was in mahogany inlaid with pearl and hung with a golden brown silk. The bedroom had white enamelled walls and the same colored hangings, a brass bed and wardrobe. The bath room was all white with every modern appliance, including a shower. In the bath room was perfume, on my drawing room table, flowers and candy.

Worse than ever did I hate my old, shabby, dirty-line clothes.

I parted with my friends reluctantly. But I was surrounded by new ones. We were taken on deck to be photographed by flashlight before the boat sailed. Then we went down to dinner.

I might have called this article "The Story of the King's Bath Tub." I am bathing in the King's tub.

IN A KING'S SUITE.

The Zasha Herczegno, named for the assassinated Crown Princess, made but one trip before this. That trip was for the Bavarian King, Ludwig. He occupied the suite I have. I trust the King will be as courteous of the distinction as I am.

They say he is a charming man, with simple, modest manners, and quiet, pleasant voice. What a contrast with the loud-voiced, vulgar, boasting insulting Americans, who have joined this group. There is one mark of cultivation which all Hungarians and Austrians possess to an admirable extent—a low, distinct, pleasing voice.

After them the tongues of the English sound like tin pans beaten by savages in the throes of death. Now you know I am sleeping in the King's bed and bathing in a King's tub.

But I regret to say I would prefer the meanest rest of the head waiter's quarters to the luxurious unrest of a horribly aching leg and hip. If I had less twitches of torture I would tell [illegible] of our midnight dinner Sunday and you would never rest until you had learned in Hungary, not a dear friend, Frank Carroll, who lived to eat. He used to say:

"Don't die till you dine in Budapest!" I have dined. It was a dinner much as you hear about and don't believe. Only this was no dream. All the good things of land and sea were exquisitely cooked and laid before us. How many kinds of delicious native wines and champagnes from Austria to count. Coffee, cigarettes and liqueurs after.

Naturally the directors of the navigation company and the military director of all railways and steamship lines are connected.

I made the last one.

As the only woman in the crowd I thanked them in the name of their mothers, wives, sisters and daughters for their unfailing courtesy, thoughtfulness and kindness.

ADVICE TO PROSPECTIVE auto owner: The best bargains in slightly-used automobiles are listed in the "Used Car" columns of the Boston AMERICAN. "A word to the wise," you know.

CLAIM 3 BRITISH SHIPS WERE SUNK

BERLIN, via Amsterdam, Jan. 26.—The German Admiralty today claimed that three British war vessels were sunk in Sunday's naval battle west of Helgoland between the German and English fleets. A official statement issued here today reiterated the declaration that a British battle cruiser had gone to the bottom and also asserted that two British torpedo boats were sunk.

The statement revealed, for the first time, that German airships were flying above the scene of the naval battle while it was taking place.

The information as to the sinking of the three British vessels came from one of these aerial craft. Describing the sinking of the British cruiser the statement said:

"The British cruiser, according to reliable information, swerved heavily from the fire of our heavy guns and was then sunk by a German torpedo boat by two well aimed shots. A German airship which followed the battle closely saw the cruiser sink."

The statement gave these other additional details of the battle:

"Two English torpedo boats were also sunk. Our airships reported that other English ships were seriously damaged."

Seek to End Mutiny of the Portuguese

LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 26.—General Pimenta y Castro, who has temporarily assumed control of the Portuguese government, has ordered the liberation of all officers who were arrested for appealing to President Arriaga against the wholesale transfer of certain army officers from one regiment to another. He has also ordered the reattention of swords to all naval and army officers who transfered them to the War Office in protest against the arrests. In this way he is trying to pacify the dissatisfied element in the army and navy.

Italy and Roumania Defied by Burian

VIENNA, Jan. 26.—The Wiener Tageblatt, mouthpiece of the foreign office, credits to Foreign Minister Burian a statement that he will refuse territorial concessions to Italy and Roumania, even if such course makes inevitable the intervention of those states on behalf of the allies.

Charge British Destroy the Mails

BERLIN, Jan. 12. (By mail to New York, Jan. 26.)—Violation of The Hague convention through the destruction of German and neutral mail is charged against the British by the German government in an official report in the Cologne Gazette. Several instances are specified.

King's Suicide Yarn Cause of Suicides

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The Express prints the following from Amsterdam:

"General von Bissing, German Governor-General of Belgium, has caused placards to be posted on the walls at Brussels stating that King Albert had abandoned his army and fled to England. It is reported that a number of Belgians, believing the placards, committed suicide."

TREAT QUICKLY ALL ABRASIONS WITH POSLAM

Do not neglect to treat promptly —and with Poslam—any Rash, Cut, Abrasion, sore sore spot. Poslam is antiseptic, protects, purifies, heals. If your skin burns, itches, is raw, gravates and is eruptional and unsightly in appearance, just use Poslam, and note the difference after one or two applications.

Your druggist sells Poslam. For free sample write to Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th Street, New York.

Poslam Soap used daily for toilet and bath is the best means to maintain the health of the skin, keeping it soft, clear and healthy. 25 cents and 15 cents.—Advertisement.

To Quickly Remove Ugly Hairs From Face

(Beauty Notes)

Beauty-destroying hairs are soon banished from the skin with the aid of a delatone paste, made by mixing some water with a little plain powdered delatone. This is spread upon the hairy surface for 2 or 3 minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed to remove the remaining delatone. This simple treatment banishes every trace of hair and leaves the skin white without a blemish. Caution should be used to be certain that it is delatone you buy.—Advertisement.

Too Late to Classify.

LOST—2 gold rings in Filene's, Sat.; reward. L. E. B., Normal School, Bridgewater, Mass.

COMERY CUTS THROAT IN JAIL

MANCHESTER, Jan. 26.—Oscar J. Comery attempted suicide today by cutting his throat with a penknife in Valley Street Jail just before he was to be taken to Superior Court to stand trial on a charge of murder in poisoning his young wife, Bertha C. Comery, formerly of Clifton, Mass.

Comery had been shaved and had bathed. He was in the recreation room with other prisoners. He slipped into an anteroom. Officers who traced him there found him bleeding from a gash in the throat, which extended from the Adams' apple toward the right ear.

Comery had cut his wind-pipe, but missed the jugular vein. He was removed to the jail hospital, where five stitches were taken in the wound.

This was at 4:50. The trial was scheduled to begin at 9:30 and the court room was crowded with spectators. Promptly it was announced that the trial was continued one week. Then the news of the attempted suicide became known.

The police say Comery will recover and go on trial next Tuesday.

Crippled Steamer Camino at Halifax

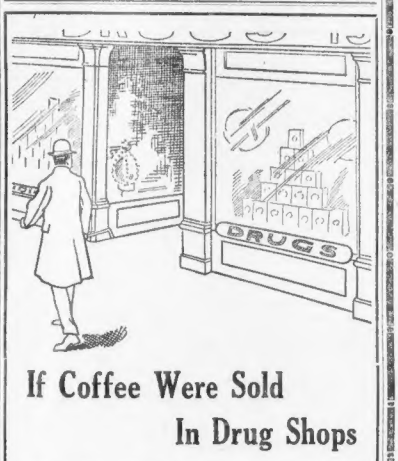
HALIFAX, Jan. 26.—The crippled American steamer Camino, carrying supplies for the starving Belgians from San Francisco, was towed in here today by four steamers. She was without a rudder, her deck house was shattered and her engines were useless as a result of the terrific storm through which she had passed. Several men of the crew were injured when the hawsers by which she was being towed parted Saturday night, and the vessel had a narrow escape from being wrecked last night when she went adrift off Chebucto Head.

Krupps Make Gun to Fire to England

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 26.—A new naval gun of 16-inch calibre, with a range of twenty-five miles, has been constructed.

Turks Begin to Fortify Jerusalem

ATHENS, Jan. 26.—The Turks have concentrated 48,000 troops at El Arish and 32,000 at Akabah according to reports here. They also are fortifying Jerusalem.



If Coffee Were Sold In Drug Shops

just as the coffee drug, caffeine, is sold, would you buy it?

Wouldn't it bring home to you very forcibly, the fact that coffee is not a food but a drug?

Caffeine is a cause of indigestion, heart trouble, nervousness, constipation and kindred ills. Some persons are strong enough to drink coffee without immediate harm, but many others are not.

Anyone can avoid risking health by a change to

POSTUM

This pure food-drink is made of whole wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses—that's all. It contains nothing harmful or injurious but is, on the contrary, healthful and invigorating.

Postum is sold by Grocers everywhere in two forms—**Regular Postum** which requires boiling, 15c and 25c packages, and **Instant Postum** which is soluble in hot water—made instantly in the cup, 30c and 50c tins.

A ten days' trial of Postum should convince any doubting Thomas

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

Gilchrist's Leaders

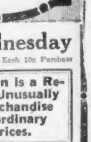
For Wednesday

A Local Stamp With Each 10c Purchase

This Column Is a Reminder of Unusually Good Merchandise at Extraordinary Low Prices.

$15.00 Tailored Suits $7.50

Fine quality Whipcord made in semi-tailored style with strapped effect in back, skirts have long Russian tunic, black and navy, sizes for misses and women.



$1.75 Real Kid Gloves $1.19

Two clasps, pique sewn, heavy three-row embroidered backs, in black embroidered and self sewn white.....

$2.00 Dresses 85c

Fancy gingham stripe and chambray dresses, V neck styles with collar, kimono sleeves, tunic skirt with bias fold trimming, sizes for misses and small women.

$5.00 Satin and Faille Silk Sailors $2.49

Trimmed with flowers, ribbon bows and band, all the new spring colors, very smart hats for wear at the present time.

$1.50 Crepe de Chene 40 Inches Wide

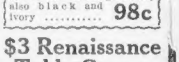
Heavy all silk washable dress quality in a complete showing of popular street and evening shades, also black and ivory 98c

$3 Renaissance Table Covers

$1.45 45 Inches Wide

Made with fancy Japanese drawnwork and insertion centres, a large assortment of attractive patterns.

50c Gold Filled Beads 21c



Warranted one year, four different sizes, with patent security clasp.

Men's $1.50 Overshoes 95c

A well known make of warm lined arctics, in wide fitting sizes 6 to 11.

No Mail or Phone Orders Filled on These Leaders

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Washington and Winter Sts.

ADVERTISE YOUR WANTS IN THE BOSTON AMERICA

Redeem Your Legal Stamps at Bacons' | Exhibition of Modern Dancing 1 to 3 P. M. in the Restaurant | Redeem Your Legal Stamps at Bacons'

Wednesday —AND— Thursday Challenge Days at Bacons'

Over 100 Years in Business in Boston

W. & A. BACON CO.

WASHINGTON & ESSEX STS.

No Mail Nor Telephone Orders on Challenge Specials

Purchases charged during the remainder of January go in February bill, payable in March.

Challenge Prices are so low that two days were given over to this event instead of one day as in similar sales.

Probably the nearest approach to giving away merchandise this city has ever known.

We have tried to provide sufficient Challenge merchandise for two big days. If, however, our success is greater than we anticipate, and we run short of Challenge Specials, we have other good merchandise values from our regular stocks to take their places.

In days of old
When knights were bold
And wore their coats of mail..
There was no challenge
Half so strong
As BACONS' CHALLENGE SALE.

Over 100 Years in Business in Boston

W. & A. BACON CO.

WASHINGTON & ESSEX STS.

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INTRODUCTION

For many weeks we have been planning a once-a-month two-day sale that would eclipse in value giving any other similar event in Boston. After several meetings of our Board of Managers "Challenge Days" was selected as the best name for such an occasion.

We wanted a name that would emphasize the underselling supremacy of this new-old est in years, newest in merchandise. "Challenge Days" show a determined purpose of W. & A. Bacon Co. to undersell all competition on NEW merchandise of reliable quality.

From now on, the last Wednesday and Thursday of every month will be "Challenge Days" at Bacons', days of unequalled values, when we openly challenge any and all competition to meet or beat our prices.

"Challenge Days" will be days of enormous profit for our customers. Read "Here's What Will Happen" at the opposite side of this page.

Come to Bacons' on one of our "Challenge Days," and come early. Our buyers have spent weeks in securing bargains more wonderful than any you can imagine—especially for "Challenge Days." A two-day sale—once a month.

Here's What Will Happen

Should any other store advertise a price lower than our Challenge Sale Price for Wednesday and Thursday

All day Wednesday and Thursday we will sell reliable new merchandise for less than the lowest prices elsewhere in Boston. AND IF ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT STORE ADVERTISES A PRICE LOWER THAN OURS ON THE SAME ARTICLE WE WILL CHANGE OUR PRICE SO THAT IT WILL BE 5% LOWER THAN THE OTHER STORE. Bacons' is the store of lowest prices on quality merchandise—a fact this sale will clearly demonstrate.

First Great **February Furniture Sale and Challenge Days**

Hundreds of bargains. Note these examples

FOURTH FLOOR

$20.00 **Dining Tables**—Colonial style oil quartered oak throughout, pedestal base, with extra leaf, 48 inches diameter when closed. Challenge Price $15.50

$5.00 **Rockers**—Mahogany finish polished frames, cane back, saddle seat; $2.75 and wide 25-inch. Each .....

$15.00 **Silk Floss Mattress**—Imported French sateen ticking, with the new tufted pattern, all $10.95

$3.00 **National Spring**—53 well formed coils in each, with deep roll edge. Challenge Price $1.89

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Women's 75c Vests at.... 29c

Jersey ribbed cotton and wool mixed; medium weight; regular and extra sizes. Challenge Price 29c

Women's $1.25 Union Suits—Wool mixed; ribbed; low neck, sleeveless, ankle length. Also Dutch neck, elbow sleeve and ankle length styles. Sizes 4, 5 and 6 ..... 59c

Children's 17c and 25c Underwear—Fleece lined cotton and wool mixed; ribbed; low neck, sleeveless, ankle length. Also Dutch neck, elbow sleeve and ankle length styles. Sizes 4, 5 and 6 ..... 12½c

Boys' and Girls' 50c Union Suits—Fleece lined; ribbed; drop seat; sizes 2 to 10 years 35c

Women's 25c Underwear—Fleece lined; ribbed; low neck, sleeveless, ankle length. Also Dutch neck, elbow sleeve and ankle length pants to match, sizes 7 to 10 ..... 18c

Embroidery Challenge

MAIN FLOOR

15c **Flouncings and Corset Cover Embroideries**—In insertion and edge effects, 9c

25c **Corset Cover Embroideries**—In edges and insertions, 17c

75c **Flouncings**—27 inches wide, in eyelet and open work effects, 47c

Swiss Embroidered Voile Allovers—In floral and conventional designs, 47c

98c **Voile Flouncings**—45 inches wide, in floral and conventional designs, 57c

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

29c Candies, at, per lb... 17c

Choice of five different kinds, plain and fancy mixed candies, including Vanilla nut fudge and peanut taffy, 17c

Trimmings Challenge

MAIN FLOOR

50c **Persian Band Trimmings**—Good variety of colors, 2 to 3 inches wide, 17c

75c **Garnitures**—Novelty crystal and jet, each design different, 25c

50c **Mourning Dress Trimmings**—Assortment of black only, in jets, nets, lace, navy and jetted nets, 19c

BASEMENT

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$5 and $6 Ostrich Trimmed Hats at.. $2

Choice of 500 hats in the lot

$3 **New Satin and Silk Mallors**—Trimmed; $1.98

Up to $1.00 Flowers—Roses, pansies, daisies, small buds and leaves; 25c other styles. Choice .....

75c and 95c **Flower Wreaths** 49c

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Delicious Ice Cream Soda, at 5c

At our Soda Fountain, Main Floor, Wednesday and Thursday only.

Handkerchief Challenge

MAIN FLOOR

Women's 25c to 35c Handkerchiefs—Hemstitched, all linen, initials, plain and fancy borders with white centers, 3 for 12½c

Women's 5c to 10c Handkerchiefs—Initials, plain, colored and embroidered corners, white centers, each 2½c

Women's 5c Handkerchiefs—Plain white, with colored and embroidered borders, with white centers, each 2½c

Men's 25c Handkerchiefs—Linen, initials, wide hems, full size, 3 for 12½c

Men's 10c to 25c Handkerchiefs—With colored borders, hemstitched, white centers, wide narrow and wide hems, each 9c

Men's 5c Handkerchiefs—Plain white, hemstitched, 15-inch hems, each 2½c

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$24.50 Velvet Rugs at.... $13.95

Beautiful velvet rugs, size 9x12. Each $13.95

$17.50 **Tapestry Brussels Rugs**—Seamless, size 9x12. Each, At $10.69

$24.50 **Royal Axminster Rugs**, seamless, size 9x12. Each $15.95

$22.50 **Royal Colonial Velvet Rugs**, size 2¼x3. Each, At $14.75

One pattern.

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$1.29 Linoleums, Square Yard 65½c

Inlaid linoleum, room or floor covering, 65½c

50c to 65c **Wonder Jams**—Table top, contained size, 24 and 36 inch, At 27c

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$1.00 Dutch Curtains, at 55c

Made of very fine quality cotton, with hemstitched ruffle, and tie back with plain color edge, white, cream and ecru, 55c

$2.00 **Odd Tapestry Portiers**—Made of colored figured tapestry, with plain color edge, finished with fringe, 98c

12½c **Bordered Scrims**—Assortment of open work; wound border for finish, 6c

20c **Extension Rods**—Curved ends, heavy nickeled brass, 8c

45c **Silk Floss Cushions**—Choice of sizes, including 18x24 and 21x21, 23c

$4 **Cluny Curtains**—Made of a very fine heavy cotton, in floral and conventional effects, with insertion, white, cream and ecru, 2.55

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Women's $2.50 Shoes at, pr.. $1.39

Patent colt and gun metal, button and Blucher lace styles, full range of sizes, Sizes 2½ to 7. Pair .....

Boys' **$2 Shoes**, dull calf, blucher cut, low heel, sizes 9½ to 13½, solid leather. Pair .....

Misses' **$1.50 Shoes**, gun metal, button and Blucher lace styles, full range of sizes, 11 to 2. Pair 85c

Women's $1.25 House Slippers, black felt, trim soles, vamped Bucron, rear welt, sizes 95c

Children's 50c House Slippers, dull calf, with heavy felt soles, sizes 5 to 8 ..... 29c

Men's $4 Shoes, dull calf, full double soles, heavy extension edge, Goodyear welt sewed, sizes 6 to 10. $2.95

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$3.50 Folding Sulkies at... $1.75

Made of steel, has padded seat, good springs, comfortable foot rest, rubber tired wheels .....

Children's $1.70 Mission Sets—Three pieces, consisting of table and two chairs, small beds and settee, ages 2 to 6 years .....

$1.00 Folding Tables—Hard wood, natural finish, good size .....

$1.50 Commode Nursery Chairs—Made of wood, nalloquin finish, enclosed, has hinged cover and slide for tray .....

Children's 50c Rockers—Well made, painted in white, large enough for a child from 2 to 6 years .....

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Men's & Women's 98c Umbrellas, at 55c

Plain carved and silver trimmed handles; covers of American taffeta or gloria, steel rods and runners, Each .....

$1.50 Umbrellas, covers of good quality gloria, steel rods and runners, Handles are plain carved and sterling silver trimmed, suitable for men and women. Each .....

Lining Challenge

MAIN FLOOR

10c **Lining Sateen**, 36 inches wide, all colors and black, at.....

25c Venetian Coat Linings—Printed and plain, all the new shades, 35 inches wide, yard .....

BASEMENT

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$1.75 Seamless Lip Saucepans 95c

Set of five, with covers; sizes 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 quarts; triple coated with pure white enamel .....

10c **Flour Mugs**—Heavy white ware, with handle .....

$1.25 **Potts Irons**—Full sized, heavy cast iron, with detachable handle and nickel base .....

$1.25 **Family Scales**—Platform, with scoop, weighs up to 24 lbs. .....

Oil Cloth Remnants—Short lengths and remnants .....

BASEMENT

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

98c 7-Piece Berry Sets at 59c

Japanese china, including one large and seven fancy berry dishes .....

$1.24 **Inverted Gas Lights**—With heavy mantle and frost globe, complete and for immediate use .....

$2.60 **Flower Vase**—Silver finish, with cut glass bowl, 6 inches high, for cutting, best .....

$1.24 **Tea Set**—17-piece Japanese decorated teaset, consisting of cups and saucers, cream and sugar, 6 cups .....

$10.98 **Dinner Sets**—Handsomely decorated teaset, consisting of 100 pieces, 12 persons set for .....

BASEMENT

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

2.69 Professional Bags, at each.. 1.79

Made of pebble grain leather, with heavy leather bottom, leather corners, lined .....

$1.25 **Bags**—Pebble grain leather, in shopping shape, leather corners, fancy lined .....

$1.98 **Traveling Bags**—Cowhide, with leather lined, leather handle, nickel trimmings, lined, name plate and catches .....

$5.98 **Suit Cases**—Double handle, made of good leather, in assortment of two hour straps all around, $3.98

$8.98 **Traveling Trunks**—Steel reinforced and centre bands, dressed 3-ply Bellfiber, finely trimmed, linen lined, wood slats and cleats, heavy $5.98

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Women's $1.00 Gloves, pair... 59c

2 clasps, German kid, nice wash goods shades, plain backs, sizes 5½ to 7½. Pair .....

Women's $1.00 Gloves 1 clasp, French kid, with fancy full sides, sizes 6 to 7½. Pair .....

Children's 25c Mittens—Double in black, oxford, navy and red. Pair .....

Women's 50c Gloves—Washable, in tan, mode, white, black and colored backs, white, yellow and black embroidery. Pair .....

Boys' and Misses' $2.50 to $3.50 Gauntlets—Of tan kid, with fancy cuff, full lisle and fleece lining, $1.85

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

30c & 35c Wall Papers at..... 15c

Floral borders and decorations, roll 15c

$1.75 to $2.50 **Wall Papers**—Room for bathrooms, including floral side walls and 36 yards pretty cutout border, roll 89c

60c to 70c Wall Papers—Consisting of two hundred effects, gloss chiffon, brilliants, 22-inch oak leather and floral and conventional designs, with matching borders, roll 37½c

16c to 20c Wall Papers—Pretty floral designs and satin stripes with handsome cut-out borders and ceilings to match, also patterns and gold outlined papers with 9 or 18-inch borders, roll 9c

Art Embroidery Challenge

SECOND FLOOR

50c Centre Pieces—Stamped white linen, solid and eyelet embroidery designs, 24-inch size, each .....

15c Stamped Pillow Cases—Made of good quality muslin, size 36x45, each .....

20c Stamped Pillow Cases—Excellent quality tubing, simple and attractive designs, each .....

$1.00 Dresser and Buffet Scarfs—On fine quality linen, size 18x54 inches, each .....

$1.00 Centre Pieces—Stamped white linen, 18-in. wide, each .....

Challenge Specials in LINENS and DOMESTICS

10c Unbleached Sheeting 5c

$1.50 Dresser Scarfs or Centre Pieces 58c

$1.10 Double Damask Table Cloths 79c

$1.50 Double Damask Table Cloths $1.19

Two 2 Yard .....

72x90 Sheets 37½c

12½c Bleached Cotton Flannel 7½c

50c and 25c Fruit of the Loom Sheets 29c

$2 Crochet Bed Spreads 99c

$10.00 Blankets, pair $3.99

Wash Goods

50c Silk and Cotton Tussah 24c

25c Pure Linen Crepe, Black and White 10c

12½c Boys' Handkerchiefs 5c

Linen Cloth and Juvenile Cloth 10c

5c Colored Outing Flannels 5c

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Men's $8.50 Suits $4.50

Made of fancy mixtures, checks and stripes, in single and double breasted sacks, sizes 34 to 42

Men's 86 Raincoats $2.95

Men's $2.00 Trousers 85c

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Boys' $4.00 Overcoats at $2.45

Boys' $8.00 Overcoats $4.95

Boys' 75c Knickerbockers and Bloomer Pants 50c

Boys' $1.00 Wash Suits 95c

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

Women's 50c Fibre Silk Hosiery, Pr. 27c

Women's 50c Hosiery 29c

Women's $1.00 Silk Hosiery 69c

Women's 12½c Hosiery 7c

Boys' and Girls' 12½c Stockings 9c

Men's 50c Hose 33c

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$3.00 Hand Bags at.... 1.69

Genuine sea seal leather in black and colors, very new pouch effect, with gusset bottom, nickel frame and fancy handle, with purse and mirror, ... $1.69

$1 to $1.25 Hand Bags—Real leather, in black and colors, fitted with purse .....

$1 to $1.25 Hand Bags—Real leather, black and colors, fitted with purse and mirror .....

$1.50 Hand Bags—Cross grain leather, beautifully lined and fitted, neat metal frames, ribbon handle .....

Bacon Lunch

Main Floor—Cor. Hayward Place

Special Lunch Wednesday

Broiled Lamb Chops, Green Peas, Mashed Potatoes .....

Whole Plain Boiled Lobster, French Fried Potatoes 35c

Half Grape Fruit or Pudding Coffee .....

Morning Special

We Challenge Any Other Department Store to Sell

Wednesday and Thursday 8:30 to 12 Each Day

The Best Flour At $7.90 a bbl.

Sold at the Grocery Bar on Second Floor

BACONS' SPECIAL

Challenge Price bbl. $7.90

Challenge Price bag $1.00

The following Specials All Day Wednesday and Thursday:

SUGAR 3½c

Best granulated, with grocery orders, not including flour, sugar, canned goods and meats; limit 25 lbs.

10 lbs. with $2.00 worth groceries

15 lbs. with $3.00 worth groceries

20 lbs. with $4.00 worth groceries

Ivo Taskoma Unmixed Tea Blending, 4 lbs. for 10c

16c Evaporated Milk, 3 cans 7½c

Quaker Oats, 12c Corn, 3 for 7½c

10c Tomatoes, Corn, Peas 8c

12c String Beans, Lima Beans, Succotash 9c

15c Salmon 11c

Fresh Meat and Corned Pig Shoulders 11c

Corned Beef 14c

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

"Tabard Inn" Fiction at.. 15c

Books that sold before, now up to $1.35 each. Solid cloth .....

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

15c Borax Package.. 6c

20 Mule Team .....

86c Hot Water Bottles, 4 quarts .....

15c to 19c Tooth Brushes, medium and stiff .....

15c White Castile Soap, cake .....

5c Rolls Toilet Paper, 10 rolls .....

MAIN FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

50c Serges 28c at, yd....

Standard quality, assorted colors, 36 inches wide .....

$1.25 **Mannish Mixtures** in Yard .....

$1.25 **French Serge**—54 inches wide, all wool, navy and black .....

Stripe Suitings—54 inches wide, excellent quality, in navy and black with Yard .....

THIRD FLOOR

We Challenge Any Other Store to Sell

$2.50 Pictures, Special..... 98c

Subjects include Colonial Dames, Children in Garden, Reproductions of Henry Roscoe and Sons' famous colored prints, Each .....

$1.00 Pictures—Reproductions of Moments of Sentiment, Life, subjects, Cupids, Milk Maids, Each .....

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MANSFIELD GRILLED ABOUT GAMBLING AT FERNCROFT INN

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cards?" He denied that he had asked her to "entertain" parties of the Inn and invite them to play.

WATCH AND WARD RAID HURT.

Mansfield said that the Watch and Ward Society's raid in 1913 hurt business at Ferncroft, but that he did more business in the Fall of 1914 than he did in the Fall of 1913 when the raid took place.

Q—Did you ever say to Miss Ryan during the years that she was there: "I wish you would go to party so-and-so and so-and-so and entertain them and ask them to come up stairs and play?" A—Never.

Q—Did you ever ask anybody to play? A—Never.

Q—Did she ever play A—She always played.

Q—Did Miss Ryan sometimes play cards? A—Yes.

Q—Have you seen her play frequently? A—Yes.

Q—Very frequently? A—She played casino with me. She played one evening with a lady.

Mansfield whispered the lady's name to Coakley's ear.

Q—Is that room where you played cards was there a roulette wheel in it? —I decline to answer on the ground that it may tend to incriminate me.

Coakley, Mr. Morrill's counsel, here stood when you testified to improper relations with Miss Ryan it would tend to incriminate him, I am going to ask you very many questions along those lines.

Q—When did Morrill first come to Ferncroft? A—Either June or July of 1909.

MANY REFUSALS TO ANSWER.

Q—Did you leave Morrill in charge in 1909 when you went abroad? A—He was in joint charge with Mrs Peabody.

Q—Was Morrill at Ferncroft before you came back did you discover that the wheel had been fixed, so that Morrill tell you so had a row with a man named Geary? A—I decline to answer.

Q—Was Morrill a crooked gambler? A—I decline to answer.

Q—Did you and Morrill have an agreement that you were to divide fifty-fifty all the winnings of roulette? A—I decline to answer.

Q—Will you tell us anything that Morrill did at Ferncroft? A—In 1909 and 1910 Morrill conducted a business there was on Saturday and Sunday. When I came home I gave him a check. Thereafter he would have to reimburse him for the work he had done during the week.

Q—How much did you give Morrill during 1909 and 1910? A—I decline to answer.

DID MISS RYAN EARN THOUSANDS

Q—Was Morrill the man who spun your roulette wheel? A—I decline to answer.

Q—Wasn't Miss Ryan in the room many, many times when you were not —wasn't she there so much that she became so proficient from watching you and Morrill at the wheel that later she took Morrill's place and became your professional wheel spinner—and didn't she make thousands of dollars for you instead of costing you large sums of money as you have testified to here? A—I decline to answer.

Q—Has Miss Ryan at your request, played roulette—she spinning the wheel at Ferncroft Inn? No answer.

Q—Don't you know what for Miss Ryan at the Ferncroft Inn. A—I decline to answer.

Q—Did you ever show Miss Ryan how to play the top and did you play with a man from Peabody with that you were betting $1,000 when she spun the top in a room at Ferncroft Inn? A—I never did.

Attorney Coakley walked up to the

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witness with a piece of foolscap paper on which were written the names of about three persons.

Q—Now, No. 2 (pointing to the name), did you, with Miss Ryan standing by the wheel, play roulette with that party? A—No.

Q—Or cards? A—No.

Q—There are thirty-three names on this paper. If I asked you the same questions you would decline to answer, wouldn't you? A—Yes.

Q—Here are some new names, including several of any time with Miss Ryan when she was spinning the roulette wheel? A—I can't answer.

Mansfield was asked about Monte Carlo and explained how to play roulette.

MARKED CARDS INTRODUCED.

Mansfield was shown a pack of marked cards which Coakley said Mansfield used in showing Miss Ryan how to play cards.

Q—I wonder if you would know a pack of marked cards? A—Never.

Q—Let me sit down with you and show her marked cards? A—No.

Here a pack of cards was presented to Mansfield.

Q—Do you notice the nine of clubs? A—I see a line on the back.

Attorney Sullivan objected.

Coakley—I propose to show that the witness taught Miss Ryan how to play marked cards.

Mansfield was then shown another pack of cards and was examining them when noon recess was ordered.

MAY CALL ATTORNEY.

Attorney Michael E. Sullivan, counsel for Mansfield, may take the witness stand to tell what he knows of the conversation with a person concerning an alleged telephone conversation between Miss Ryan and Mansfield.

Attorney Coakley made this statement at the trial today during a tiff with Sullivan over a question put to Mansfield about the conversation in question.

"I may be called upon to summon you as a witness," said Attorney Coakley to Sullivan.

"And you won't have to pay me any witness fees, either," shot back Attorney Sullivan.

Attorney Coakley asked Mansfield whether he got information from Attorney Sullivan about a conversation which the latter had with a person about the name of a hotel from which Miss Ryan talked over the phone with Mr. Mansfield from Boston. Mansfield said, "He did tell me."

Q—I'm asking now whether the party he thought was at the Lexington?

Attorney Sullivan objected.

DISPUTED TELEPHONE CALL.

Attorney Coakley addressed the court, saying:

"Mansfield testified yesterday that Miss Ryan talked with him from the Lexington Hotel. Miss Ryan testified she was never at the Hotel Lexington. I'm asking this witness if he did not say yesterday that he got word from Mr. Sullivan that Miss Ryan was never at the Lexington Hotel. This morning he came in and in answer to my question says he had a talk with Mr. Sullivan. Then my friend—"

Objection by Attorney Sullivan.

Coakley—Then I think you had better suspend on that for the present."

Q—I asked you yesterday if Miss Ryan did running at the Ferncroft Inn but enjoy herself and administer to your pleasures. What was your answer? A—I said she did nothing.

Q—Did Mr. Sullivan tell you that I had a conversation with Judge Fessenden at the lunch yesterday and that I told him I intended to show that Miss Ryan was a cashier at the inn? A—No.

Q—Who was the cashier? A—Mr. Fuller.

Q—Who followed Mr. Fuller? A—Mr. Johnson.

Q—Was Miss Ryan cashier? A—No, she was not. She never was cashier.

Q—Now you say Mr. Fuller was cashier and that after him came Mr. Johnson. Who was cashier after Mr. Johnson? A—I was.

PAID FOR HER COMPANY.

Q—Well, now, you told us you paid Miss Ryan an allowance when business was good and paid her no allowance when business was bad, didn't you? A—Yes.

Q—What did you give her the allowance for? A—For the pleasure of her company.

Q—You had more of her company when business was bad than when business was good, didn't you? A—Yes.

Q—Having in mind that you gave her what you call an allowance when business was good, and having in mind that you gave her no allowance when business was bad, did you give her the allowance for work one did? Answer inaudible to newspapermen.

Q—Did she sell cigars at the counter? A—Once, twice or three times. She might be standing there and someone might come up and say, "I'd like to get a cigar," or "can I get a cigar?" She'd say, "Yes, I'll get you one." That might happen when no one was around other than she.

Q—Did she help you to keep any of your accounts? A—No, I kept no accounts. There were two men with whom I did business and then I sign a check, and once a year said counter checks and I pay the balance.

Q—Would you mind giving the names of those men privately? A—No, indeed.

Attorney Coakley walked over to witness, who bent over and whispered in Coakley's ear.

Q—How large a business did you do in a year at Ferncroft Inn?

Attorney Sullivan: "I object to this."

Judge Fessenden called counsel to both sides to the bench, where they all conferred for four or five minutes.

Mrs. Rogers Spared Ordeal of Inquest

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Following her prayerful plea to the doctors and nurses and the threat of her attorneys to enlist the aid of the courts to stop proceedings at this time, Mrs. Ida Sniffen Walters Rogers was today spared the ordeal of facing the coroner's inquest into the death of her two infants, to whom she administered bichloride of mercury.

Coroner Flynn and his physician went to Lebanon Hospital and after a careful examination into her condition announced that the inquest had been postponed indefinitely.

Trawling Upheld by Fisheries Bureau

The report to Congress of Commissioner Bullivan of the Bureau of Fisheries on trawl fishing in the Atlantic is considered a rebuke to the Gloucester fishermen, who claimed that trawling depleted the sea of fish. The report finds this not to be the case and while proposing that trawling be prohibited outside of territorial jurisdiction north of latitude 40 north, excepts Georges Bank, south Channel and Nantucket Shoals, west of the meridian of Sankaty Head

Three Accidents Tie Up Brooklyn

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Three accidents on the Brooklyn elevated and surface lines completely tied up traffic into Manhattan during the rush hour today. An elevated train jumped the tracks on Lexington avenue; a Canarsie train dropped a control bar onto the third rail, resulting in a short circuit and a trolley jumped the track on Court street.

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One of the greatest telephone achievements in history was realized last night in this city, the birthplace of the telephone, when the transcontinental line between Boston and San Francisco was opened with fitting ceremony and a success that surpassed expectations.

It established a new world's record for long-distance telephoning.

Major Horace L. Hotchkiss was the first to use the line at this end, calling up Thomas A. Watson, who was the first man in the world to receive a telephone call, when Professor Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor, spoke to him on his pioneer line that ran from one room to another in the building at No. 5 Exeter place, Boston, on March 10, 1876, saying: "Watson, please come here. I want you." That line was not more than ten feet long.

A representative of the AMERICAN talked with Mr. Fitzhamon of the San Francisco Examiner and, although there were conversational lags, the voices were as clear and their words as distinct as if they were using a wire or tube in the same building.

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Because of the difference in time, a person speaking in Boston at 9 o'clock was heard at the Golden Gate at 6 o'clock, a paradoxical wrinkle that caused amusement.

The initial test was marked by the first three cheers ever heard from ocean to ocean.

The minimum cost a call will be $21, or $7 a minute. The coast-to-coast line is not yet ready for commercial use.

While it was in operation for the ceremonies last night it was watched by 1,000 linemen posted so that if any break or defect occurred they would be within a few miles of the trouble. But nothing happened, in spite of sleet storms in the East and unfavorable weather conditions at other points.

To send the aural waves over the Rockies never before traversed by the human voice through wires, was the most difficult part of the feat.

Until last night the longest direct telephone call from Boston was to Denver, Colorado.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON SHIPPING BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—By a strict party vote the Senate Commerce Committee today adopted a favorable report on the Fletcher substitute for the ship purchase bill and by the same vote rejected the Lodge amendment which declares that no interned ships of biligerents shall be purchased.

The Fletcher substitute provides for the organization of a shipping corporation under the laws of the District of Columbia, the United States to subscribe through a shipping board for at least 51 per cent. of the stock.

An entire new code of shipping regulations is to be drafted by the shipping board to take the place of those now in force.

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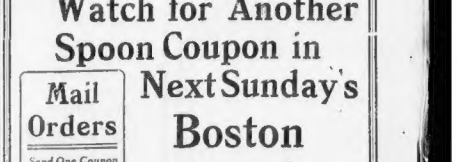
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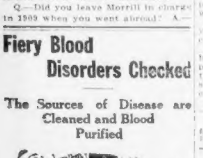

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'NEWSIES'' BALL IS ON TONIGHT

One of the greatest annual events in Boston takes place tonight in Paul Revere Hall in Mechanics' Building. It is the thirteenth annual ball of future mayors, bankers and merchants of Boston, who are at present retail merchants on a small, but very important scale.

They are members of the Boston Newsboys' Union.

This is a social affair that always attracts great attention. It is so important that city and State officials, business men and financiers are glad to attend—not only because they honor newsboys, but because everybody has a good time.

Not a ball of the season—not one at the Copley Plaza or anywhere else where Back Bay society congregates, is a better exhibition of terpsichorean grace, pretty girls and live boys than this "dance of the newsies."

The program is "classy" from the grand march to the last thing on the list.

ALL THE DANCES.

On the card are old classics and the newest favorites. President Hyman J. Cohen and Miss Beasie Vigoda will lead the grand march, which will be under the direction of Floor Director Charles Frasca.

The officers of the ball will be Floor Marshal Hyman J. Cohen, Assistant Floor Marshals Louis Orenberg and Isaac Orenberg, Director Charles Frasca, Assistant Floor Directors Philip Bernstein and Benjamin Askey, Chief of Aids Samuel W. Rosen, Assistant Chief of Aids Charles Weisman, Aids David Friedman, Meyer Levine, Thomas J. Flannagan, Samuel Solomon, A. Milstein, Frank Ellis, Andrew McCormack, Morris Tekulsky, A. Casper, J. A. O'Connell, Eli Feliquate.

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Judge Ratigan in Serious Condition

WORCESTER, Jan. 26.—Judge John B. Ratigan of the Superior Court is reported to be in a critical condition at the Worcester Hospital, with his name on the dangerous list and the chances against his recovery.

Judge Ratigan has been ill for several months and recently he submitted to two operations for an internal trouble.

Tells Girls How to Dress on $50 a Year

Mrs. L. B. Miller told the girls at the Boston Y. W. C. A. how they could dress on $50 a year if they made out a budget and plans for three years ahead. In her talks she told the girls just what to buy each year and how much it would cost.

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On Sale Today at Kennedy's

Entire Stock of the

John F. Fitzgerald Clothing Inc. Company

News Item, Jan. 21

EX-MAYOR SELLS OUT BUSINESS

John F. Fitzgerald has retired from the clothing business to accept the presidency of the New England Investment Company. Announcement of the sale of his business, the John F. Fitzgerald Clothing Company, to the Kennedy Company of Boston, was made by the former Mayor last night.

Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald opened this store last September with all new goods very carefully selected for the most critical trade. But the locality did not warrant merchandise of such high character, and being unable to secure a suitable uptown location, the ex-Mayor decided to close out his entire stock to us and enter another field of endeavor.

At Most Sensational Prices

As previously reported in this paper, Ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald had only 48 hours in which to close out his clothing business, and turned to us as the only store in a position to take over such a large stock of brand new, high-grade goods as his store contained.

The Purchase by Us of This Immense Stock Is Probably the Largest Clothing Deal Ever Made in the City of Boston

The Fitzgerald stock is on a par with our own regular lines, and ranged in price (on men's garments) from $13.50 up to as high as $40. The very fine goods consist principally of such sterling makes as Hickey-Freeman, Adler-Rochester, and "Stadium Clothes," while the medium grades came largely from the well-known Boston houses of Barron-Anderson and Sherman-Welton. The styles, fabrics and tailoring are excellent all through the entire stock.

We are not in the business of buying up stocks for sale purposes, but when we saw the high character of the merchandise which filled the five floors of the Fitzgerald Store, we could not resist the temptation to offer the people of New England such marvelous bargains as this purchase makes possible. This stock is unusually high grade, exceptionally well selected and everything in it new since the opening of the Fitzgerald Store last September.

And Now Here They Are---All Fitzgerald's Suits, Overcoats, Hats, Trousers, Furnishings, Boys' Clothes---Everything.

Come on, men, and pick whatever you want at figures that bear no relation to cost price or value.

All of Fitzgerald's $15 Suits and Overcoats Take your choice for **$8.50**

All of Fitzgerald's $20 & $22.50 Suits and Overcoats on sale at . . . **$12.50**

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Those at $30 to $40, especially, are the most luxurious Great Coats produced—beautifully lined and trimmed—bought especially for the football game.

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$20 & $22.50 Ulsters . $12.50
$25 Ulsters $14.50
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Soft and stiff cuff styles. Also Flannel Shirts with collars and cuffs attached. They bear the labels of well-known makers.
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Both foreign and domestic goods, in cotton, wool or silk.
15c Hose.....2 prs. 15¢
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Fitzgerald's Mackinaw Coats
$5.00 Mackinaws...$3.50
$7 and $8 Mackinaws...$5
$10-$12.50 Mackinaws...$7

Fitzgerald's Hats and Caps
$2 and $2.50 Hats..$1.45
$3, $3.50, $4 Hats..$1.95
50c and 65c Caps....30¢
$1 Caps.....60¢

Fitzgerald's 2-Piece Underwear
Bristol, Essex Mills, Etc.
50c Underwear.....30¢
$1.00 Underwear.....60¢
$1.50 Underwear.....95¢

Fitzgerald's Union Suits
Yale, Peerless, Carter's, Etc.
$1.00 Union Suits.....60¢
$1.50 Union Suits.....95¢
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$3.00 Union Suits...$1.75

Fitzgerald's Gloves
Mocha and Cape—all makes and styles.
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$1.50 Gloves.....95¢
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All sorts of shapes, styles and colorings.
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$1 Garments.....60¢
$1.50 Garments.....95¢
$2 Garments...$1.20
$3 Garments...$1.75
$4 and $5 Silk Pajamas...$2.50

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Regular and extra lengths, both light and heavy fabrics, including Police and Firemen's.
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50c Suspenders.....30¢

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50c Belts.....30¢
$1 Belts.....60¢

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$3 Waistcoats...$1.50
$4 & $5 Waistcoats...$2.50

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All brand new—handsome patterns—from the leading makers.

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THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

Their Married Life

Warren Comes Home Early and Gets Sulky When He Finds Helen Is at Her Bridge Club

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"WHAT time did Mrs. Curtis go out?" growled Warren, after he had hung up his coat. Nora had lingered near the dining room door to answer any questions that he might have to ask.

"She went to her bridge club, Mr. Curtis, and she told me to tell you that she would get home as soon as possible."

Warren growled out something about it being just his luck, and Nora went back to the kitchen while he settled himself in the living room with the evening paper. As luck would have it, Warren had come home early on purpose. He had some theatre tickets in his pocket and had thought they might go out to dinner. Helen was always ready to go, but to come like this and find her at her club. Well, he might have remembered that this was Friday afternoon.

He finished the paper and threw it down. The little French clock on the mantelpiece chimed six o'clock and he, in a rage, walked to the telephone and was about to give a number when he realized that he had no idea where the club had met.

"Nora," he called, and as Nora appeared in the doorway he turned and growled out:

"Where did Mrs. Curtis go today, do you know?"

"Yes, Mr. Curtis," said Nora calmly. "She went to Mrs. Dalton's."

Warren considered before calling up Mrs. Dalton's number. He had never liked the woman, probably because he had an idea that she knew entirely too much. She was president of the Current Events Club and was rather a brainy woman. Helen had always manifested a great admiration for her, but Warren had pronounced her conceited. Furthermore, he had never liked her husband, and as he was not inclined to be generous Mrs. Dalton had never gone up in his estimation for this reason.

However, that was no adequate reason for hesitating about calling Helen up. He pulled his watch out and exclaimed at the time. Ten minutes wasted. Nora was moving around in the dining room arranging things for dinner and she stopped to peer at Mr. Curtis was telephoning.

"Mrs. Curtis said that she would not want any dinner, sir," she ventured timidly. "So if you want yours everything is ready."

Warren did not answer, but took up the receiver impatiently.

"Hello, give me 2467-," he said, not waiting for anything more. And when central connected him, "Hello, is this Mrs. Dalton?" I want to speak to Mrs. Curtis, please."

He waited for a moment, and then someone took up the receiver and spoke sweetly.

MRS. DALTON COMES TO THE TELEPHONE.

"What is it, you wish, please?" It was Mrs. Dalton, and Warren asked again if he might speak to Mrs. Curtis. There was a babel of voices going on in the same room, and Mrs. Dalton said sweetly:

"Oh, Mrs. Curtis, my mind could not understand you, there is such a racket. Is this Mr. Curtis? How do you do? Just a minute and I will see if Mrs. Curtis has gone. I think she has."

There was a moment's interval, then:

"Mrs. Curtis has just gone. I told her you wanted to speak to her and she said she would be home immediately and it would be more satisfactory to see her in person."

Warren thanked her and hung up the receiver with a snap and went into the dining room. Nora began to wait on him silently, and it was a quarter of seven before the bell rang and Nora hastened to open the door.

Helen hurried in looking very flushed and sweet.

"What did you want, dear?" she said, hurrying into the dining room and bending to drop a kiss on the top of his head.

Warren was very busy buttering a piece of bread, and Helen dropped into a chair opposite without knowing that he was in a temper. Then he looked up and she started.

"Dear, you know Friday was my bridge day, and as this was the first meeting we had a lot of things to talk over and arrange after we had stopped playing."

"Yes, I see you did." Nora came in at this moment.

"Will you have something to eat, Mrs. Curtis?" she asked as she passed Helen's chair.

"Yes, Nora; you might bring me a cup of coffee."

Nora left the room and Warren went on eating silently.

"I wanted to go out to dinner tonight and I got home early on purpose. I didn't expect that your bridge club extended so far into the evening."

For the first time Warren raised his head and looked across at Helen. She was wearing a little hat made of flowers, and it was most becoming to her.

"When did you get the hat?" he inquired.

"I made it," she confessed proudly. "And do you know, dear, not a soul suspected. Even Louise raved over it."

"I have seats for that play you wanted to see," he said tardily.

"I'm so glad, Warren. You're a dear."

PUSSY PURRIES MAKER OF PEACE IN THE FAMILY.

Warren finished his pie and drank his coffee. The room was filled with lily of the valley perfume that Helen was very fond of and somehow he felt somewhat mollified. He had never seen a hat more becoming to Helen than the one she was wearing and then with a stab of remembrance he thought of the bridge club and the fact that he would probably have to eat alone every Friday night. He was about to register his injured attitude when Helen called to him from the butler's pantry.

"Warren, do come out and watch pussy. It's too dear for anything." Warren pushed his chair away from the table and went out into the kitchen. He had determined not to act agreeably, but the sight of pussy gone almost mad with delight as she rolled in the fragrant stuff made him smile involuntarily.

"Wouldn't Winifred be delighted if she saw this?" said Helen turning a smiling face to him as he stood beside her.

"Well, have to buy some ourselves," he said jovially, "come on now, we don't want to be late for the show!"

(Another instalment of this entertaining story will appear soon on this page.)

IN STERLING LIVES A GIRL

Who Suffered As Many Girls Do—Tells How She Found Relief.

Sterling, Conn.—"I am a girl of 22 years and I used to faint away every month and was very weak. I was also bothered a lot with female weakness. I read your little book 'Wisdom for Women,' and I saw how others had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and decided to try it, and it has made me feel like a new girl and I am now relieved of all these troubles. I hope all young girls will get relief as I have. I never felt better in my life."—Mrs. John Tetreault, Box 116, Sterling, Conn.

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Young Girls, Heed This Advice.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should immediately seek restoration to health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Up-to-Date Jokes

She wore a determined look as she entered the drug store.

"Look here, young man, if a tall man with a red mustache comes and asks you for a prescription, you're not to let him have it."

"Really, madam, I—"

"No, you mustn't let him have it on any account. He's come here for a month, and says he wants something to improve his appetite. He's boarding at my establishment, young man."

And with a muttered threat the sedate landlady passed from the shop, leaving the druggist's assistant pale and trembling.

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He had held forth for so long on the subject of his adventures that the entire smoking room was distinctly bored. Finally, he reached India. "It was here that I first saw a man-eating tiger!" he announced boastfully.

"Pooh! That's nothing!" said a mild-looking little man, edging to the front of the group. "I once saw a man eating rabbit!" And he sauntered gracefully out.

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In one of the crowded streets a beggar was in the habit of taking his stand every day, appealing to the charity of the passers-by. A dog sat by him, bearing round its neck a card, with the words, "I am blind," inscribed upon it.

A very kind old gentleman, who had been in the habit of dropping a penny into the beggar's hat, passed rapidly one morning without doing so. Instantly the beggar rushed after him, and asked for a penny to be given, as usual.

The gentleman, turning in surprise, said:

"Why, I thought you were blind."

"Oh, no, sir," was the cool reply; it is the dog that is blind, as the card says."

Smart Costumes in Effective Designs

(Republished by Special Arrangement with HARPER'S BAZAR, the Oldest and Greatest Woman's Magazine)

From the February Number of Harper's Bazar

WIDE as to skirt and short as to jacket, is this dressy street costume, fashioned from putty-colored grosgrain cloth, the trimmings being of black satin embroidered in gold. Blue and white chrysanthemums decorate the hat.

RED embroidery on the saucy little jacket of this youthful suit, exploited in black and white check Country Club suiting, is a new note. A fantasy of straw-colored chiffon trims the hat.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

BE NATURAL

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am eighteen years old. Previous to this year I've been away at boarding school, but now I've reached the age where my parents will permit me to go out. How can I make myself popular? As a rule I am fairly well liked, but am rather homely. Does that cause unpopularity? Which is the best way for a girl to act—independent and reserved or just natural?

M. G.

DON'T assume an attitude of independent coolness. That is not at all a lovable type of womanhood to strive to be. Be natural and try to augment what you feel is a lack of physical attraction by a manner of sweet cordiality. Above all, don't permit yourself to be at all affected. That is far from admirable and will win you ridicule where natural simplicity will make friends.

A CASE WHERE AGE DOES NOT MATTER

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I have been receiving attentions from a young man for eighteen months. What I would like to know is if age has anything to do with the matter before I accept an engagement ring, which he has pressed me to take?

The young man's age is twenty-five and I am thirty-three. Does this make any difference if there is true love? He is a gentleman in every respect; he does everything to make me happy, and, above all, Miss Fairfax, he is so lovely and so good and kind to his mother—I just love him for that, and if I do a little kindness for his mother he is delighted.

ANNA D.

ORDINARILY I do not believe in marriages where the men is much the woman's junior. But there is no hard and fast rule in this matter. Now in your case I believe a marriage would be advisable. You seem to be sensible, thoughtful, sympathetic people, who will try to make each other happy and who know true love and consideration. These things are more important than the count of your birthdays.

HOW TO ATTRACT

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Am a young girl twenty years of age. Some of my friends consider me very attractive, as I have a good figure, but I am not very pretty. I have been going out with quite a number of young men, all of whom have treated me nicely, but they never call on me the second time. Should I ask them to call, and how am I to entertain them, as I am very poor. My friends have told me to kiss the men good-night and also to drink, both of which I hate to do.

LONESOME.

DON'T use such means as drinking or permitting liberties to hold the interest of men. Your poverty will not impede you if you can rise above conditions and prove so interesting and worth while that people will be glad to know you, regardless of surroundings.

Do You Know That—

Monocles for women are becoming fashionable.

A woman of seventy-one has just been sentenced to death for the murder of her husband.

The discarding of underclothing owing to "bobbie" shirts was the reason given in the London Bankruptcy Court for the failure of an outfitting business.

A London school teacher attempted to commit suicide by throwing herself in front of a train, but, failing between the rails, the train passed over her without inflicting any injury.

A Taunton, England, woman of eighty acts as telegraph messenger in connection with a local postoffice. She walks twelve miles a day and is in excellent health.

A married woman of St. Helens, England, was recently fined $100 for betting.

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BLACK, MIXED OR NATURAL GREEN

The Fortunes of Fanny

Joe Brown Meets Fanny and Gives Her Something to Ponder Over

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

CHAPTER LI.

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WHEN Mrs. Abbott and her children had left the table, after the heavy Sunday noontime dinner with which the American housewife celebrates the Day of Rest and insults the stomachs of her family, Fanny Hedden washed and wiped the dishes, put them away and set the table for the supper. By the time she had finished with these tasks half of her theoretical "afternoon off" was gone, and she was tired enough to feel that she would really prefer to lie down upon the narrow bed in her tiny room rather than keep her supper engagement with Nellie Benson and her friends.

She forced herself, however, to exchange her black dress and white apron for her street costume. Then she knocked timidly at Mrs. Abbott's door. The mistress was lying down and frowned slightly when Fanny entered.

"Well, what is it?" she asked the intruder, her tone indicative of forced patience.

"I'm going out now, Mrs. Abbott," the girl faltered. "I have set the table for supper, and I just want to know if there is anything else you wish me to attend to before going."

"No, I suppose not," Mrs. Abbott responded. "I have been trying for the last hour to take a nap and this is the third time I have been disturbed. Go on out, if you are going. By the way, Fanny," as the girl started toward the door, "as we want breakfast very promptly tomorrow morning, I would like you to set the table over night. Of course you will wash the supper dishes, which I will leave in the sink in the kitchen, before you go to bed. Don't forget. And, as we are all going to bed early, come in as quietly as you can."

"Yes ma'am," Fanny replied somberly. "Good bye," she added as she left the room.

THE SUNSHINE RATHER LIGHTENS HER LOAD

Her walk through the afternoon sunshine toward the car lightened her load of depression. The trials and exasperations which had seemed so huge a short hour ago came into a truer perspective and she found herself anticipating happily the supper with her friends. The thought occurred to her that Jos Brown might drop into Nellie's flat during the evening; then she told herself that of course he would not. And why should she wish that he would?

The chimes in a nearby church tower calling to afternoon service arrested her, and she felt a desire to accept the invitation. Nellie Benson would not expect her for an hour or more. She recollected with a pang how regularly she and her grandmother had gone to church together and that it had been months now since she had entered a place of worship.

On the strength of an impulse she walked into the vestibule of the church she was passing and suffered herself to be ushered into a pew. She bowed her head in a moment's prayer, then looked about her with a new sense of comfort and satisfaction. Here there was at least transitory peace. There was also a feeling of equality. In God's house she was not a servant girl—one of the lower classes. The organ was sounding softly through the color-splashed gloom. Fanny sighed with happiness. Suddenly an usher passed at the pew in which she sat, and she moved further in to make room for the pair he had conveyed there. They were Emily Abbott and a young man. The girl rustled in and bent her head for a perfunctory moment in prayer. When she sat up and looked about her, her eyes met Fanny's and the maid saw her flinch at the recognition, then return the menial's bow coldly.

A second later Miss Abbott turned to her escort with a whispered suggestion, and the man arose and accompanied her into a pew farther up the aisle.

From the vestibule came the muffled chant of the choir. The congregation stood up, but Fanny sat still, her head bent, slow tears coursing down her cheeks.

The bitter sting of the unkind and snobbish action rankled all through the service, and at its conclusion the lonely girl went out into the darkening street with the old feeling of unhappiness and injustice strong within her.

JOE BROWN BREAKS IN ON HER REVERIE

The pleasure with which she had anticipated the prospect of a merry supper with her friends was gone now, as she neared the car line. Here she stood waiting, unheeding the other would-be passengers by whom she was surrounded.

A voice called her back from her gloomy reverie.

"Miss Hedden!" some one ejaculated eagerly, and she found herself facing Joe Brown. The man shook hands with her with fervor.

"I certainly am in luck!" he exclaimed. "I thought I had missed you."

"Missed me?" Fanny repeated puzzled.

"Yes," the other explained, honestly. Although he flushed a little. "I called to take you around to Nelle Benson's to supper. Helen dropped a hint to me on the quiet that you were expected to eat there this evening. I hoped you wouldn't object to my coming, but they told me at your house that you had left over an hour ago. I'm mighty fortunate to meet you here."

"I didn't know you were going to be at Nelly's to supper, too," Fanny stammered.

"Well, you aren't angry now that you have found out, are you?" he queried with a laugh. "Because if you are I won't go on the car."

"No," Fanny answered shyly. Then, after a moment of bashful silence: "I want to thank you for the lovely sweet peas you sent me, Mr. Brown. I was awfully pleased with them. You see," touching a cluster of the blossoms at her belt, "I am wearing some of them."

"Oh, it was a joy to send them," he assured her. "Thank you for liking them enough to wear them."

"How," she asked suddenly, "did you know my address?"

"Didn't you tell it to me?" he parried.

"Indeed, I didn't!" Fanny declared. "I haven't even told your sister or Nell yet."

"Miss Hedden," Joe began with impetuosity, "I can't begin to tell you how I admire your pluck in sticking to the kind of work you are doing. Believe me, I honor and respect you for it. More than that——"

"Come!" Fanny interrupted as a car thundered up the street and stopped. "Here's our car!"

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Gets Divorce from Minstrel Primrose

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 26.—George H. Primrose, the minstrel, is now divorced. Mrs. Primrose, after fourteen years of married life, was granted a decree by Judge Gatens on a charge of desertion. Her name was Esther Nerney.

CENSOR 'ONWARD CHRISTIAN' HYMN

Rev. Mary T. Whitney, pastor of the Unitarian Church in the town of Bernardston, has "censored" the famous and familiar hymn, "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

The woman pastor objects to the "war" and "battle and "foe" in the hymn, so she has written a "peace" version which is copied over the old words in the hymn books of her church.

This is her re-wording of the hymn:

Onward, Christian Workers,
As who have no peace,
In the name of Jesus,
Making war to cease,
Bearing up our banner,
Setting up the Truth and Justice
In this world laid low.
And this is the usual version:
Onward, Christian Soldiers,
Marching as to war,
With the cross of Jesus
Going on before.
Christ, our Royal Master,
Leads against the foe;
Forward into battle,
See His banners go!

The new version is said to be popular with the worshippers in the Bernardston church.

Suffragists Honor Mrs. Phoebe Hearst

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst is today a member of the advisory council of the Congressional Suffrage Union. Among other women in the advisory council are Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont of New York, the Duchess of Marlborough, and Mrs. Edward Breiting of New York.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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$20.00 Mission Table $11.85

Fumed Oak Library Table, top 18 inches long, quartered oak, 2½-inch legs, 4 book shelves, one drawer, heavy undershelf.

$11.85

$15.00 Baltic Combination Silk Floss Mattress $9.85

A Mattress Revelation

After many experiments we have found a mattress far better than anything we have been able to produce before. That will stand 75 lbs. each week, for years, and still be the same soft, fluffy, comfortable mattress it is to-day. It is perfectly sanitary, absolutely comfortable, entirely free from lumps, making it easily handled. Besides it is a wonderful bargain. Sale Price..... $9.85

$25 Solid Quartered Oak Top Table $14.95

Read it all. Full quartered oak top, opens to be six feet long; 48-inch solid quartered oak top, most beautiful finish put on oak lumber; 2¾-inch legs, pure colonial design. Feb. Sale Price..... $14.95

$22.50 Bedroom Pieces for $12.47

Your choice of golden oak, birdseye maple or mahogany. Dresser is 42 inches wide, with 22x28-inch glass. Such bargains are rarely obtainable. February Sale Price..... $12.47

$65.00 3-Piece Library Suit $39.85

Shaped big's back, extra heavy frames, beautifully proportioned, genuine Spanish leather upholstery. The greatest bargain we have ever offered of its kind. February Sale price. $39.85

$2.75 Golden Oak Dining Chair $1.98

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Wednesday, January 27

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$12.50 to $15.00 Winter Coats, full lined Astrachans $7.50
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$16.50 to $18.00 Imported Storm Mixture Coats.. $10.00

WOMEN'S SUITS

$18.00 to $20.00 (25) Serge Suits, strictly tailored styles $1.95
$15.00 to $18.00 Winter Suits, practical styles $7.50
$16.50 to $18.50 Smart Redingote Diagonal Suits $7.50

WOMEN'S GOWNS

$15.00 Party Gowns, slightly soiled, limited number $1.95
$15.00 New Serge Dresses, smartly trimmed $7.50
$16.50 Combination Serge and Satin Dresses.... $7.50

WOMEN'S SKIRTS

$5.00 Women's and Misses' Dress Skirts..... $2.98
$6.00 to $7.50 Women's New Circular Skirts... $3.65

MISSES' APPAREL

$12.75 Serge Suits..... $3.95
$12.75 Serge Suits..... $5.00
$15.00 Serge Novelty Suits $7.50
$25.00 Serge Broadcloth and Gabardine Suits... $15.00
$7.50 to $10.00 Serge Dresses $5.00
$15.00 Serge Dresses.... $7.50
$7.50 Novelty Coats $1.98
$15.00 Novelty and Astrachan Coats $7.50
$20.00 Mannish Mixtures and Astrachan Coats. $10.00

READY-MADE DRESSES

$1.50 to $2.00 Percale, Gingham and Chambray Dresses, at..... .87
$2.00 to $5.00 Voile, Gingham and Crepe Dresses at $1.95

GIRLS' APPAREL

$1.00 Middy Blouses, broken sizes, at..... .49
$1.00 Chambray and Galatea Dresses, 6 to 14, at .55
$1.50 to $2.00 Gingham, Voile and Percale Dresses at ..... .98
$2.00 to $4.00 Chevrot Coats, belted model.... .98

WAISTS

$1.00 Lingerie Waists... .55
$1.50 Lingerie Waists, dainty laces ..... .69
$1.50 Tub Silk Waists, odd styles ..... .55
$3.00 Tub Silk Waists.. $1.95
$3.00 Crepe de Chine Waists $1.95
$5.00 Crepe de Chine Waists $2.95
$6.00 Fancy Chiffon Waists $3.95
$6.50 Novelty Lace Waists $3.95
$2.00 Women's Coat Sweaters, odd lots.... $1.00

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

50c Corset Covers, tailored styles, lace trimmed ..... .25
$1.00 Petticoats, black and colors ..... .39
$1.00 and $1.25 Petticoats, fine jersey tops and other models ..... .59
75c Night Gowns, slip-over style, embroidery trimmed, extra large.. .50
69c to 95c Drawers, various styles, lace and emb. trimmed ..... .50
79c Chemise, fine embroidery trimmed, to close.... .50

INFANTS' WEAR

19c Children's Muslin Drawers, 2 to 8 years .12½
$1.00 Infants' Corduroy Velvet Caps ..... .25
$1.00 Infants' Wool Sweaters, sizes 1 and 2 years only ..... .29
69c Children's Galatea Rompers, sizes 2 to 6 years ..... .39
$2.98 Children's Colored Dresses, gingham and chambray, 2 to 6 years .59
$3.00 Misses' White Brushed Wool Sweaters, sizes 4 to 8..... .79
$3.98 Infants' White Corduroy Unlined Coats, 6 mos. to 2 yrs. $1.98
$2.98 Children's Colored Coats, 2 to 5 years.... $1.98

CORSETS

39c and 50c Brassieres, Bust Supporters ..... .25
$1.50 F. & W. Brassieres, with guaranteed shield .77
79c Corset, Special Camelle model, sizes 22 to 23 and 24 ..... .33
$1.50 Corsets, Princess, and White's Special.. .63
$1.50 Corsets, Princess, Wilhelmina and White's Special ..... .93
$2.00 Corsets, Thompson Glove Fitting, Valnetta, White's Special and Royal Worcester.. $1.19

GLOVES

50c Women's Silk and Chamoisette Gloves, long and short ..... .19
79c to $1.00 Broken Lots of Kid Gloves, 2-clasp, slightly soiled ..... .39
59c Boys' Fleece Lined Kid Gloves, tan..... .39

WOMEN'S HOSIERY

25c Infants' Cashmere Hose, black and colors .15
$1.00 Women's Silk Hose, the best street shades.. .65
$1.50 Women's Silk Hose, street and evening shades ..... .98

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

50c Children's Merino Vests ..... .25
50c Children's Heavy Fleeced Cotton Union Suits ..... .29
$1.00 Women's Merino Vests, Winter weight... .39
$1.00 Women's Medium Weight Cotton Union Suits ..... .39
$1.50 and $2.00 Women's Italian Silk Vests, plain and embroidered $1.29

NECKWEAR AND VEILS

10c to 25c Remnants of Fancy Mesh Veilings, black and colors ..... .10
50c New Black Mantilla Veils, in a variety of designs ..... .25
25c and 50c Shadow Lace, chiffon and plain net ruffling ..... .12½
25c Organdie Collars in a variety of shapes.. .12½
$2.00 to $3.00 Maraboo Scarfs, some ribbon trimmed, black and natural $1.15

LACES

10c to 15c Platt Val. Laces, Edges and Insertions, 2 to 5 inches wide, yard..... .05
20c Lace Remnants, each .05
50c Lace Remnants, each .10
25c Shadow Lace Flouncings, 12 to 18 inches wide, yard..... .12½

RIBBONS

45c Satin Lumina Ribbon, 5 inches wide, in lavender, violet, brown, reseda, navy blue, light blue, red, Alice blue, sapphire, coral, pink, delft, wisteria..... .29
39c Moire Ribbon, 9 in. wide, in white, navy blue, Alice blue, delft .29

HANDKERCHIEFS

1-3 to 12½c Women's Linen Handkerchiefs, all linen and cotton, colored border, each ... .05
12½c and 17c Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, odd initial, ¼ in. hems, each ..... .08 1-3

ART EMBROIDERIES

10c Embroidery Ball Cotton ..... .07
39c Stamped Pillow Cases, hemstitched ... .23
25c Stamped Corset Covers, 2 for ..... .25
50c Cluny Lace Doilies... .39

LEATHER AND FANCY GOODS

49c Picture Frames, oval, fancy silver ..... .25
59c Military Brushes, in neat leather case... .39
$1.00 Envelope Books, morocco, with inside frame, assorted colors .61
$1.00 to $7.50 Jewel Boxes, all leather, variety of colors and sizes to select from ..... 69c to $5.00
$1.39 Beaded Bags, fancy colors, with chain handle and metal frames.. .79
$5.00 Leather Bags, with place for purse ..... .79
$1.50 Card Cases, 3-fold, black only ..... .79
$2.50 to $5.00 Letter Cases, seal, pin seal, morocco and suede. $1.50 to $3.98
$5.00 Hand Bags, imported leather, with watch $1.98

TOILET GOODS

10c Petroleum Jelly Vaseline, large jar ..... .05
29c Violet Talcum Powder, extra large glass jars ..... .10
25c Peroxide of Hydrogen, 16 oz..... .13
25c Peerless Cold Cream .15
50c Nail Filer, Tweezers, Cuticle, Shoe Horns, Ivory handles ..... .19
10c (Cake) Peroxide Soap, for bath and toilet, 4 cakes in box.... .25
37c Sanitary Napkins, 1 doz. in box..... .25
45c Kirk's Toilet Soap, 9 cakes in box..... .25

SILKS

50c 24-in. All-Silk Dress Foulards and Dress Messalines ..... .39
59c 26-in. Dress Messaline, all colors, for house and street wear .49
$1.00 to $1.25 Fancy Dress and Lining Silks, great variety styles ..... .49
89c 26-in. Satin Dress Messalines, best colors $1.50 to $2.00 42-in. and 60-in. Bordered French Chiffons, all styles.. .59
$1.00 35-in. Wash Silks, very fine shirting stripes ..... .69
$1.25 to $1.50 40-in Crepe de Chines and Dress Satins ..... .89
$2.00 42-in. Showerproof Foulards, finished styles .89
1000 Remnants Black Dress Silks, every length marked down, finest black silks .29 to $1.25
All Remnants, Silk Plush Piece Velvets, Velveteens and Corduroys, marked Half Price.
2000 Remnants Plain and Fancy Dress Silks, waist and dress patterns, trimming silks, all colors and makes .15 to .98

DRESS GOODS

50c 38-in. All-Wool Dress Plaids and Checks.... .29
60c 36-in. All-Wool Habitete and Serges, all colors and black..... .39
59c 45-in. Shepherd Checks, finest styles... .39
69c 42-in. All-Wool Storm Serges, fine colors and black ..... .49
$1.50 54-in. All-Wool Birdseye Suitings .... .59
All Remnants, Mill Shorts and Odd Lengths Colored Dress Goods, Suitings and Coatings..19 to .69
All Remnants, Mill Shorts, Black Dress Goods, Suitings and Coatings, .29 to .98
All Remnants Black and Colored Broadcloths, every length taken from stock..... .69 to $1.50

WASH GOODS

12½c Ginghams, 27 in. wide, good styles..... .07½
12½c Outing Flannels, 27 inches wide, heavy quality ..... .07½
15c Kimono Flannel, 27 in. wide ..... .07½
12½c Percale, 36 inches wide, mostly stripes... .08
19c Woven Stripe Crepe, 28 inches wide..... .08
15c Eden Flannel, 28 in. wide ..... .10
19c Galatea, 27 inches wide, mill seconds... .11
All our Remnants of Imported and Domestic Wash Fabrics marked down regardless of cost, our final clean up, in lengths suitable for Waists, Kimonos and Dresses, that formerly sold from 12½c to $1.00 yard, reduced to, yard, .05, .07½, .10, .12½ and .25

LININGS

15c Percaline, 36 inches wide, black only..... .09
All our Remnants of Silk, Satins, Velveteens, Sateens, Percalines, Cambrics, Canvas and Crenolines marked down for final clean up regardless of cost.

SMALLWARES

2 for 5c Darning Cotton ..... 3 for 5c
5c Basting Cotton, 500-yd. spool ..... 2 for 5c
15c Bone Hair Pins..... .05
15c Corset Lace ..... .05
15c Fancy Silk Cord..... .05
5c Black Darning Cotton .05
5c Hair Nets, with elastic ..... 4 for 10c
5c Common Pins..... 2 Papers for 10c
25c Pad Hose Supporters .17
25c Arweight Garment Shield ..... .19
10c Fancy Dress Shields, 2-3-4 ..... 3 for 25c

UMBRELLAS

$2.00 Women's Umbrellas, fine piece dyed taffeta, trimmed and plain handles $1.19
$2.00 and $2.50 Men's Umbrellas, good serge taffeta, sterling silver trimmed, plain and mountings $1.39

STATIONERY

15c Cloth Finished Pound Paper ..... .07
7c Envelopes to match .03
15c Writing Paper, in quire boxes, slightly soiled ..... .10
25c Correspondence Cards, quire boxes, assorted kinds ..... .15
89c Initial Paper, odd lots, not all initials, 2-quire boxes..... .25

MEN'S CLOTHING

$5.00 Men's All-Wool Heavy Working Trousers $2.00
$3.50 Blanket Bath Robes $2.45
$10 and $12.50 Suits and Overcoats, sizes up to 38 only $5.45
$7.50 Double Texture Raincoats $4.75
$10.00 Men's and Young Men's Marlahwas $6.75
$12.50 Men's and Young Men's Overcoats..... $8.55
$12.50 Men's and Young Men's Suits $8.75

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

25c Neckwear, open ends. .10
25c to 50c Neckwear, band assortment ..... .18
50c Suspenders, elastic web, leather ends..... .25
50c Wool Shirts, domet collar ..... .25
$1.00 and $1.50 Shirts, cotton and part wool, collar attached ..... .60

MEN'S HOSIERY

18c, 25c and 35c Men's Mercerized and Cotton Hose, black and colors .12½
25c Men's Black Cashmere Hose..... .17
75c and $1.00 Men's Silk Hose, black and some colors ..... .50

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

$1.00 and $1.50 Men's Merino and Wool Shirts and Drawers ..... .25
50c Men's Heavy Cotton Ribbed and Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers ..... .25
$1.00 and $1.25 Men's Heavy Ribbed Extra Union Suits ..... .69
$1.50 and $2.00 Men's Medium and Heavy Cotton and Worsted Union Suits ..... .95

BOYS' CLOTHING

50c to $1.00 Odds and Ends, in shirts, blouses, pajamas, caps, toques, scarfs ..... .25
$1.00 and $1.50 Caps and Hats ..... .50
$1.50 to $2.50 Plush Hats .$1.00
$5.00 Balmacaan Overcoats $2.50
$6.50 and $7.50 Norfolk Suits, broken lots.... $3.75

TABLE LINENS

39c to $1.50 Table Damask Remnants and Short Lengths, per yard..... .20 to .98
29c Turkey Red and White Table Cloths, small quantity ..... .10
75c Colored Kitchen Table Cloths ..... .49
$1.00 Bleached Table Cloths, best quality mercerized damask... .70
$1.50 Round Scalloped Luncheon Cloths, pure linen ..... .85
$1.50 Pattern Table Cloths, 8x4 size, pure linen..... $1.19

SHEETS and COTTONS

16c Bleached Pillow Cases, 42x36 ..... .12½
39c Embroidered Pillow Cases ..... .17
40c Bleached Seam Sheets, 72x90 ..... .25
50c Bleached Seam Sheets, 72x90 ..... .32
69c Bleached Seamless Sheets, 63x99 ..... .49

HAMBURGS

15c Hamburg Insertion... .05
60c Embroidered Flouncing, 45-inch ..... .15
10c to $4.00 Embroidery Remnants, Edgings, Insertions and Flouncings, yard ..... .05 to .49

WHITE GOODS

12c White Pique, 26-in. .12½
25c White Rating, 27-in.. .12½
$1.00 White Longcloth, 10 yards ..... .59
12½c to $1.00 Remnants of White Goods, Nainsook and Linens, per yard ..... .05 to .39

APRONS

19c Percale Bib Aprons.. .12½
25c Fancy Tea Aprons, 24 and 36-inch..... .15
65c and 75c Bungalow Dress Aprons, percale and fancy crepe..... .36

TOWELS AND CRASH

10c Hemmed Huck Towels ..... .07½
12½c Hemmed Bath Towels ..... .08
19c Hemmed Huck Towels ..... .14
10c to 17c Crash Remnants, per yd.... .05 to .12½

BLANKETS and QUILTS

$1.00 White Crochet Spreads ..... .75
$1.59 (Pair) Large Grey Blankets $1.19
$3.00 and $4.00 (Pair) Damaged Blankets $1.98
$3.50 (Pair) Single Bed Blankets $2.55
$1.00 Bed Comfortables. .79
$2.00 Bed Comfortables. $1.49

RUGS AND LINOLEUMS

75c to 98c Sq. Remnants Matting, yd. 12½
60c Cocoa Door Mats at .35
$1.25 Inlaid Linoleum, 2 yds. wide, sq. yd..... .48
85c Cocoa Door Mats at .49
$1.00 Velvet Carpet for Rooms, Halls and Stairs, yd. ..... .69
Remnants of Carpets at Half Regular Prices.
$1.75 27x54-60 Wilton Washable Bath Mats at .85
$4.25 36x63 Wilton Washable Bath Mats at $1.75
$15.00 9x9 ft. Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs as is $7.95
$16.50 9x12 ft. Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs as is $11.45
$18.50 9x12 ft. Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs as is $12.95
$27.50 8.3x10.6 ft. Seamless Axminster Rugs, as is, at..... $14.95

CURTAINS AND UPHOLSTERIES

12½c and 15c Drapery Fringes, yd. ..... .05
20c Remnants Floral Printed Muslins and Printed Scrims, yd. .10
36c to 50c Plain Color Fancy Bordered Scrims, yd. ..... .15
26c White Table Oil Cloth (as is), yd. ..... .17
39c Oil Opaque Window Shades, 7-cords, complete with crochet ring, each ..... .25
37½c Printed Madium Cretonnes, yd. ..... .25
37½c Handsome Printed Mercerized Repp, yd. .25
75c White Renaissance Lace Window Panels, pair ..... .37
$1.00 Brocade Armure Tapestries, colors red and blue, yd. ..... .49
$1.00 Odd Single Pairs Lace Curtains, pair.. .59
89c Dutch Scrim Curtains, with lace edge, pair.. .59
$1.25 Dutch Scrim Curtains, 1-6 c. insertion and edge, pair ..... .69
$2.00 Arabian Scrim Curtains, fine style, pair.. $1.49
$2.50 and $3.00 Odd Lots Lace and Scrim Curtains, pair $1.50
$2.00 Heavy Reversible Tapestry Table Covers, each $1.69
$3.50 Odd Single Portieres, each $1.98
$3.50 Drawn Work Fine White Scrim Curtains, with lace edge, pr.... $2.00

KITCHEN GOODS DEPT.

$1.25 9c Sets Aluminum Saucepans, 2 in set, 1, 2, 3qt. ..... .83
$1.19 20 Aluminum Rice Boilers ..... .85
$1.45 21 2-qt Aluminum Rice Boilers $1.00
$1.75 Aluminum Tea Kettles, 6 qt, only 12 ..... $1.35
$2.50 Aluminum Tea Kettles, 6 qt., only 12 ..... $1.80
$2.75 Aluminum Tea Kettles, 8 qt., only 4 ..... $1.80
$2.95 Aluminum Tea Kettles, 6 qt., only 26..... $2.19
$3.00 11 Aluminum Steamers $2.25
$10.50 1 Collapsible Go-Cart $7.25
$12.00 2 Collapsible Go-Carts $8.75
$13.25 2 Collapsible Go-Carts $9.00
$12.50 1 Collapsible Go-Cart $9.25
$13.50 1 Collapsible Go-Cart $9.50
$14.50 1 Collapsible Go-Cart $10.00

TRUNKS

$6.00 Dress Trunk, 34-inch $3.98
$7.00 Dress Trunk, 34-in. $4.50
$7.50 and $8.00 Dress Trunks $4.75
$9.00 and $9.50 Dress Trunks, 34 and 36-in.. $5.98
$11.50 to $12.50 Round Edge Steamer Trunk, 34 and 36-inch..... $6.50
$14.00 and $15.00 Veneer Steamer Trunks, white fibre binding $7.50
$17.00 Dress Trunk, 38-inch, extra strong.... $10.00

PICTURES

60c Pictures, oval gilt frames ..... .19
60c Gold and White Card Trays ..... .25
60c Upright Landscapes, gilt frames ..... .29
$5.00 Genuine Pastels, country scenes $2.50

SEWMACHINES

$30.00 (List Price) Sewmachines, all attachments, guaranteed for 5 years; free delivery in New England; mail or phone orders can be filled at this price..... $15.00

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THE DINGBAT FAMILY

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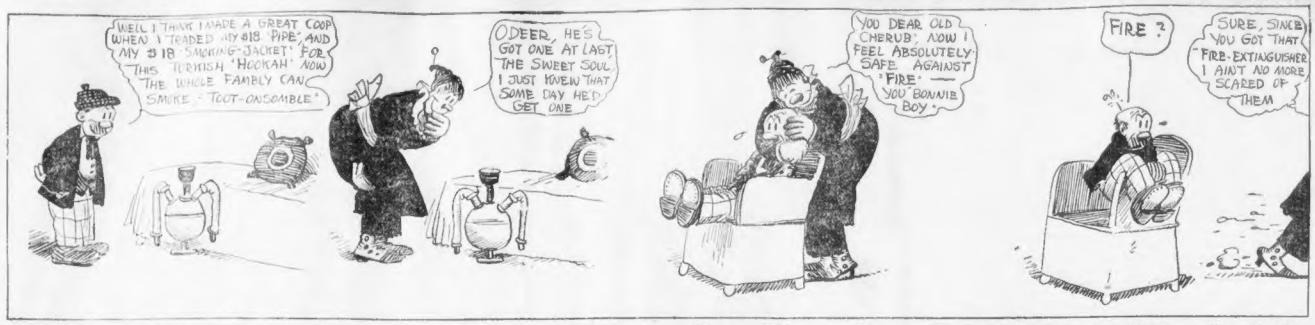
We'd Make Just the Same Mistake as Mrs. D.


WELL I THINK I MADE A GREAT COUP WHEN I TRADED MY #18 PIPE AND MY #18 SMOKING-JACKET FOR THIS TURKISH 'HOOKAH' NOW THE WHOLE FAMILY CAN SMOKE "TOOT-ONSOMBLE"
ODEER, HE'S GOT ONE AT LAST THE SWEET SOUL I JUST LOVE IN THAT SOME DAY HE'D GET ONE
YOU DEAR OLD CHERUB, NOW I FEEL ABSOLUTELY SAFE AGAINST "FIRE" — YOU BONNIE BOY.
FIRE?
SURE, SINCE YOU GOT THAT "FIRE-EXTINGUISHER" I AIN'T NO MORE SCARED OF THEM

ABIE THE AGENT

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He Does Favors as Well as the Barber

FEINGOLD THE BARBER TREATS ME FINE, BUT MISTER HAESELER THE BOSS, WATCHES HIM LIKE A TIGER EVERY TIME HE DOES ME A FAVOR - AND I'M SUCH A GOOD CUSTOMER, TOO!
GAIETY BARBER SHOP
LISTEN FEINGOLD, ALL I WANT IS A SHAVE - ABOUT FOUR TIMES OVER, YOU KNOW, CLOSE AND CLEAN!
ARE YOU GOING ON A TRIP, ABE?
LISTEN, DO ME A FAVOR AND CUT A LITTLE BIT OFF THE "PAYESS" WHAT DO YOU CALL THEM IN ENGLISH — THE SIDE BURNS!
DON'T TELL MR. HAESELER THAT I CUT THEM FOR NOTHING!
DON'T LET THE BOSS SEE — AFTER MY SHAVE CUT OFF A LITTLE IN THE BECK MY HAIR!
NEXT DAY
CAN YOU BEAT THAT ABE KABIBBLES NERVE - GETTING A FREE TRIM HERE EVERY DAY WITH A FIFTEEN CENTS SHAVE
YOU CERTAINLY GOT NERVE - ALWAYS TRYING TO GET MORE THAN YOUR MONEY'S WORTH!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKIN ABOUT - DIDN'T I USED TO COME HERE AND GET SHAVED WHEN I WASN'T GOING ANY PLACE AND DIDN'T NEED IT?

JERRY ON THE JOB

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The Boss Has a Little Superstition of His Own

WELL— WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA THIS TIME?
I'M LOOKIN' FOR A PIN.
WELL FORGET ABOUT ALL THAT SUPERSTITION STUFF. THIS IS A BUSINESS OFFICE — NOT A FORTUNE TELLERS.
ANYTIME SAYS — SEE A PIN PICK IT UP ALL THE DAY YOU'LL HAVE GOOD LUCK.
GO OVER IN THE OTHER ROOM AND BRING ME THE BIG MIRROR. THAT'S OVER THERE. I'M GOING TO HANG IT IN HERE.
I AM I AM
HEY — BE MORE CAREFUL — PLEASE
I SAID BE CAREFUL! DON'T YOU KNOW IT'S SEVEN YEARS BAD LUCK IF YOU BUST THAT THING?

POLLY AND HER PALS

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Ha, Ha! That's the Hottest Shot That Ever Hit Pa

WHADDYE MEAN POLLY'S CLIPPED HER HAIR? HAS SHE GOT THE SCARLET FEVER?
SCARLET FEVER NUTHIN! IT'S THE "DANCE FEVER", WOT'S DONE IT!
MRS. VERNON CASTLE SAYS AS HOW IT MAKES DANCING EASIER SO THERE Y'ARE!
GREAT GUNS! FIRST WE HAVE THE "CASTLE WALK" AN' NOW IT'S THE "CASTLE CLIP"!
TAKE A LOOK MA, I'LL BE HANGED IF IT AIN'T BECOMING TO HER!
IT CAN'T BE! MY WIMMINS INTUITION TELLS ME IT'S HORRIBLE WITHOUT LOOKIN'!
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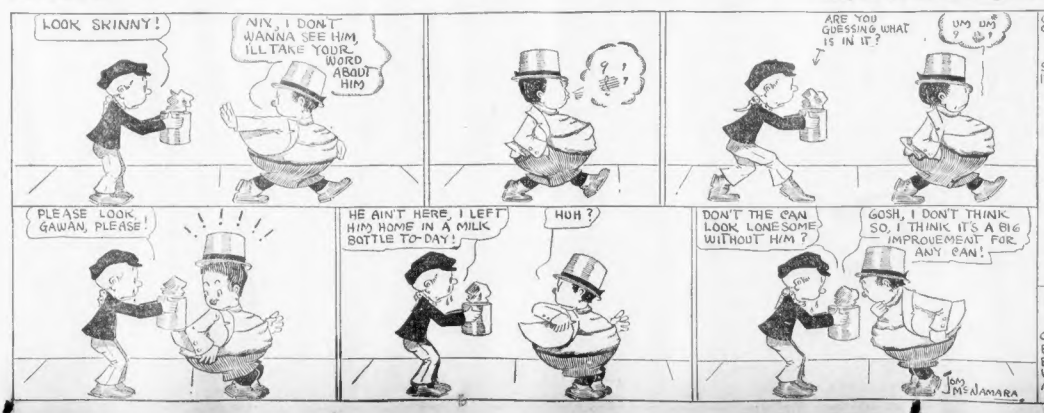
LOOK SKINNY!
NIX, I DON'T WANNA SEE HIM, I'LL TAKE YOUR WORD ABOUT HIM
ARE YOU GUESSING WHAT IS IN IT?
UM UM?
PLEASE LOOK, GAWAN, PLEASE!
HE AIN'T HERE, I LEFT HIM HOME IN A MILK BOTTLE TO-DAY!
HUH?
DON'T THE CAN LOOK LONESOME WITHOUT HIM?
GOSH, I DON'T THINK SO, I THINK IT'S A BIG IMPROVEMENT FOR ANY CAN!
TOM McNAMARA

SHANER'S GOOGLY DEP'T

WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY S.S.
WHAT'S YOUR BUSINESS?
OFFICE BOY
Answer 2 Yesterdays
HOW MANY SOUNDS ARE THERE IN A HORN? AS MANY AS THERE ARE WINKS IN AN EYE!
OH, HO, HAR, HEE!
But!
HOW MANY WINKS ARE THERE IN AN EYE?
ANSWER TO-MORROW.

ALL FOR THE LADIES

(TELL US YOUR TROUBLES GIRLS.)

THERE IS CONSIDERABLE TALK GOING ON IN YORKVILLE ABOUT TESSIE N. BEING MARRIED TO A MILLIONAIRE BOARDER IN MRS. FIFF'S HOTEL, BUT WE HAVE LEARNED THAT IT WAS ONLY A ROOMER.

"SUSIE"

BOY IS HELD FOR KILLING BROTHER

Thirteen-year-old John F. Murphy, Jr., who fatally stabbed his seventeen-year-old brother, William Paul Murphy, last Wednesday at their home, No. 6 Grant street, Dorchester, was held in $2,000 bail for the Grand Jury by Judge Churchill at a juvenile session in the judge's office at Dorchester District Court today. The boy waived examination through his counsel, John F. Cusick. He was specifically charged with being a delinquent child in having committed an assault that caused his brother's death.

Mr. Cusick was prepared with character witnesses for the boy, including neighbors, teachers from the High School of Commerce and others who have been in position to note his daily bearing.

The younger brother came late to supper Wednesday night and, in reaching for a platter of steak, spilled gravy on the tablecloth. The elder brother reproached John, who made reply and an argument led to William Paul pursuing John into a dark hall. John drew a knife and the older brother received a fatal wound.

It has been claimed, in behalf of John, that he intended merely to frighten William Paul, who ran against the knife-blade in the dark.

Executors Reply in Leslie Will Fight

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The executors of Mrs. Frank Leslie's estate today filed answers to the three actions by grand-children of Frank Leslie, the publisher, contesting the will of Mrs. Leslie. She left the bulk of the $2,000,000 estate to Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, for the cause of woman suffrage.

Farrar Creates New Grand Opera Role Sings 'Mme. Sans-Gene' After Illness

Opera of Napoleon's Time Has Presence at the Metropolitan.

By CHARLES HENRY MELTZER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—After a postponement, due to the indisposition a few days ago of Miss Geraldine Farrar, a new four-act opera, entitled "Madame Sans-Gene," was performed (for the first time on any stage) last night at the Metropolitan.

The libretto—a condensation by Renato Simoni of the well-known comedy of Sardou and Moreau, is on the whole a dexterous piece of work, and would have been even more effective than it is had the last two acts been made into one. There was no need for a lull between them, including scene in the third act and the opening episode in the fourth.

Umberto Giordano to whom we already owed "Andrea Chenier" and "Siberia," composed the music of "Madame Sans-Gene." He has treated it partly in the manner of opera buffa, and partly in more serious style, ranging from the portentious —pompous to the romantic—with this diversity he has roughly followed the example set by the French authors of the play presented here by Mme. Réjane (in French) and Miss Kathryn Kidder (in English). Both the composer and the librettist have, however, given more prominence to drama in their opera than to comedy.

NOTHING IS LOST,

The librettist has, quite rightly, omitted the great quarrel scene between Napoleon and his sisters. And he has made no gainful effort to transform French "argot" into Italian slang. So far, at least as our one and only opera house is concerned, nothing is lost by Mr. Simoni's straightforward rendering of the original speeches of the heroine. Words are but sounds, at best, when they mean nothing to the listeners in the theatre.

Suggestions of the plot and characters in this latest work of Mr. Giordano are more or less conveyed to the spectator by the printed program. Moreover, many operagoers know the general outlines of the story and, cleverly by Messrs. Sardou and Moreau. It evolves around the person of Catherine Hubscher, who is so careless in her talk and so plucky in her outlook upon life that her Parisian friends have dubbed her "Madame Sans-Gene," which might be translated into "Madame Free-and-Easy."

In the first act, Caterina (as she is called in the Italian) gives shelter to the Austrian Count de Neipperg, who has been shot by the French patriots near the Tuileries, and excites the jealousy of her sweetheart, the future Marshal Lefebvre.

Twenty years go by before the beginning of the scenes shown in the second act. In the meanwhile Bonaparte (whose linen Caterina

Geraldine Farrar and Amato in a scene from "Madame Sans-Gene."

once washed) has been crowned Emperor. Mme. Sans-Gene has married Lefebvre and is now a duchess. Her old friends (among them Fouche) have been appointed to various other dignities. Her rise in life, however, has not changed "Sans-Gene." She is as reckless and, in external things, as vulgar as she ever was and to the Emperor's sisters she is held a nuisance.

REPORT HER "INSOLENCE."

Hoping to get rid of her, these sisters do their best at a reception to which they have been invited by the duchess to embarrass her. And, when she rounds on them, pitting her patriotism and courage against their meanness, they prove furious, and report her "insolence" to the Emperor.

Napoleon appears in the third act. He is sombre and sullen, brooding over the suspected infidelity of the Empress, Josephine, and angered by the repeated small annoyances caused by "Sans-Gene." He summons Caterina to his presence to tell her that she must let her husband divorce her. But, at this crisis "Sans-Gene" has a happy thought. She reminds the All-Powerful Ruler that—he still owes her the sum due for a washing bill, made out in the old days of poverty, when he was almost in love with her.

This calms Napoleon till a dramatic turn is given to the story by the discovery that Count de Neipperg, who still lives, is visiting Josephine in her apartment.

For the second time "Sans-Gene" proves the Count's providence. She shows the Emperor that his suspicions are unfounded. And, in the joy resulting from the renewal of his belief in Josephine, Napoleon restores "Sans-Gene" to favor.

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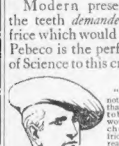

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TWO BRAVES AT ODDS WITH CLUB

If Outfielder Leslie Mann and Third Baseman Charlie Deal do not sign a contract with the Braves at the club's terms they are free to do as they wish. This is the sum and substance of a statement by President Gaffney.

It is understood that both players received a raise in salary, but the boost did not come up to their expectations.

"If Deal and Mann come around to my way of thinking and act reasonable, all well and good," said Stallings. "If they want more money than Manager Stallings feels the club should pay them, then they are free to come to do what they wish.

"I can't blame a fellow for trying to get all he can, but there's a limit to it. But there is one thing certain, I am going to find out where they stand, what they want to do, and settle it up one way or the other. If they don't like our terms and want to go elsewhere they may be sure I will not stop them."

The Sherwood Magee deal with the Phillies will be closed shortly. Manager Moran of the Phillies is anxious to get Whitted as part of the trade, but Whitted refuses to go to Philadelphia unless he gets a big salary increase. If the matter cannot be adjusted to players, Magee will be bought for cash.

President Gaffney will begin work on the new Braves park at Allston as soon as the frost leaves the ground.

Giants Drop Spring Series with Yanks

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—"Not only will there be no ante-season series between New York's two major league representatives this year, but it is not likely there will be any in 1916," says Secretary John B. Foster of the Giants. The announcement, by the way, is somewhat surprising to the friends of John J. McGraw, who had believed that the leader of the Polo Grounders was somewhat favorable to the project for next year.

Rindge Seven Wins in Overtime Game

The Greater Boston Interscholastic League hockey title now practically lies between Melrose High and Rindge Tech. They will meet at the Arena Friday afternoon.

Rindge boosted its standing a peg by vanquishing Somerville High yesterday, 3 to 2. The victory was a harder one than Rindge expected for it went into two five-minute overtime periods, mainly because of the additional work of Captain Frankie Downing of Somerville, who scored both goals for his team.

No Havana Racing Until Thursday

HAVANA, Cuba, Jan. 26.—Another terrific rainstorm caused a postponement of two days in the racing schedule at Oriental Park. Racing will be resumed Thursday. Entries given out as for Tuesday will go on Thursday.

Johnson to Reach El Paso Feb. 10

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Jesse Willard spent his first day in El Paso, the scene of his battle next March here with Jack Johnson, taking things easy. Johnson will be here February 10.

Eddie Casey to Enter Harvard

Edward Casey, captain of last year's Exeter eleven, has recommended his intention of entering Princeton and will go to Harvard.

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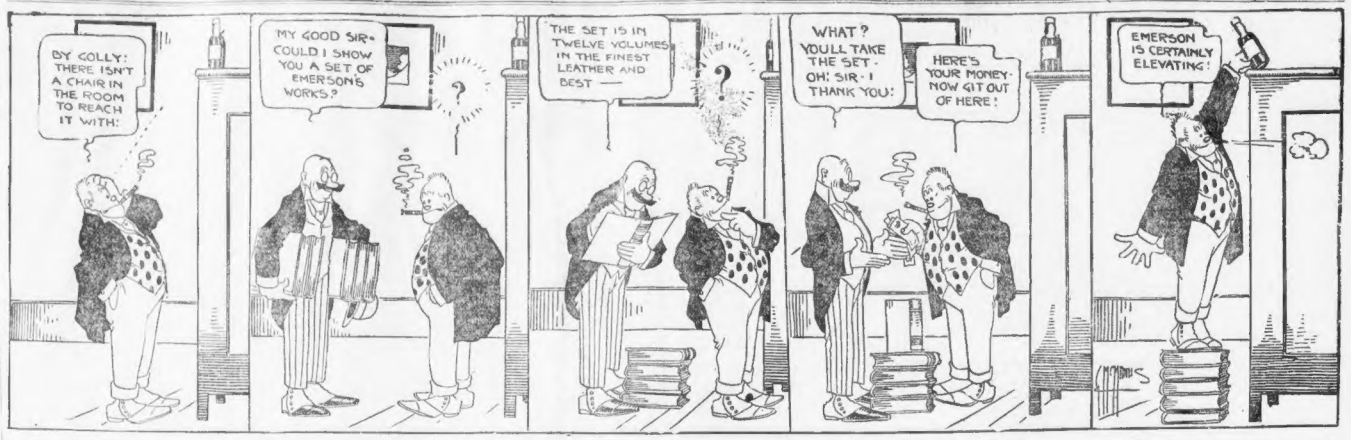
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TOURNEY PROVES BOWLING BOOM

Still they come—the entries in the bowling contest.

The Contest Editor, who has been running contests since Hans Wagner started playing baseball, admits he never saw anything like it.

Every day he's more surprised than the day before and each day he's the most surprised man in the world.

For the bowlers are certainly on the job.

The third week of the contest is off with considerable eclat, as an author might put it.

There are three more days left. This third week ends Thursday next at midnight.

Dig already almost as many entries have come in as were recorded in the two preceding weeks' totals.

That great rolloff saturday night gave matters a mighty boom. Many bowlers were there, and those who were not have been told about it. It's the talk of the town.

Everybody wanted to be in the rolloff, before one had been held, but now that they know just what it is they're all just simply crazy for a chance.

The lucky winners for a score of less recorded because they are barred for the future, but they sound that it's the only fair way for the bowlers.

They are all rooting, however, for a grand championship meeting after the weekly contests close. Chances are good, very good, that there'll have it. It's a little early yet to make any definite announcement though.

Already the leaders in the second week's competition are getting ready for their own special little rolloff next Saturday night at the New Boston alleys.

They're enthusiastic for the one string idea. It makes a rolloff much snappier and more interesting than the old three-string system. It's likely that the plan will be picked up by many alley managers, made such a hit. But that's neither here nor there.

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Winter League Chatter

By NICK FLATLEY

IT'S almost packing in day for the big leaguers. In just a month the Boston contingent of the champion Braves will leave for the supposed to be warm and sunny South. Departure from hence will be on at 1 o'clock on the morning of the 28th of February. Here and there all everywhere along the line recruits will be picked up, till by the time Mason is reached the champion army will be completely mobilized. The Stallings forces will, forgather at the hotel on Sunday, February 28, and get right down to business the next day.

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WHICH piece of news will no doubt help to take the bad taste left by foolish lawsuits and the like out of the mouths of the real fans.

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THE headquarters of the champion Braves are being decked in gala style these days. All sorts of pictures of the sensations of 1914, from all points of the compass, have been sent in to the office. Secretary Herman Nickerson and Assistant Major Domo Tony Marsh are very busy covering the walls with the new prints. Many of the ancient reproductions of last place outfits have fittingly been consigned to innocuous desuetude, whatever that is. Marsh claims that they used to be a lot of it around the N. L. place a season or so back.

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WITH all the talk of best players swapped for cushion and the like that's flying about, strangely enough nobody has mentioned that Connie Mack got Eddie Collins for a song.

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PRESIDENT GAFFNEY of the Braves is scheduled to pull in from the well-known Chicago courthouse today or tomorrow and place the high sign on several matters of business which have been permitted to rest. Among other things the proxy will size up Mann and Deal, the two Braves whose names have not yet been attached to contracts. Both, however, have expressed themselves satisfied with terms and are merely waiting for the grand and regal to come along and settle things.

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I'D like to be a baseball slave
And with the others stand,
With a silk shirt round my manly breast
And a bankroll in each hand.

The foregoing may be original, or may not. We can't remember, but the sentiments are worthy of publication.

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THE Red Sox's stamping grounds on Devonshire street are also beginning to look alive, and every day now there are a dozen or so baseball visitors, who discuss all and any diamond topics. Though the Carrigans do not leave for the south until two weeks after the Braves have wended their way thence, Secretary Eddie Riley is busy getting all the details arranged.

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SECRETARIAL EDDIE is also busy arranging the details of his approaching wedding, which is scheduled for the month of May. He claims that getting ready for that great event entails much more work than any single baseball job he ever tackled.

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IF Brewer Ruppert does not yet own the Highlanders, but has still appointed Wild Bill Donovan manager, what's the answer? The last story about the transfer of the club appears like a weak attempt to get a little extra publicity.

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AN entrant in the Greater Boston bowling contest writes in to the effect that in all fairness the general run of bowlers should pay more attention to the foul line than is the case at present. It might be mentioned that the same is the sincere and heartfelt opinion of every alley owner in Greater Boston. They have to put up regular money for having the alleys polished and planed in the vicinity of the foul line about once a week.

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A DARTMOUTH man rises to remark that, inasmuch as the Green has defeated Harvard in hockey, baseball and track athletics (via the intercollegiate meet) within a year, Hanover has some compensation for the refusal of the Crimson to play Dartmouth at football.

This, however, does not help to make up for the financial depression in the Green athletic treasury, caused by the loss of the Harvard date.

NEW ASSOCIATION IN TOURNEY HERE

PROBABLY the most important bowling move ever made in New England was the withdrawing of the National Duck and Candlepin Congress tourney, scheduled for Littlefield's alleys April 26 to May 7, in favor of the proposed tournament of the newly organized Atlantic Coast Bowling Association. The congress will, however, continue to exist but will conduct no tournaments.

Boston is in line for the first tournament of the new association and it was for this reason that the national body stepped down, as it did not want to interfere with the tournament.

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THE tournament will include the three styles of pin—candle, duck and tenpin. It will bring together the best tenpin bowlers from the West and New York and the best duckpin and candlepin bowlers from New England, Pennsylvania, Maryland and points south.

Yost Laying Plans for 1915 Season

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 26.—Coach Fielding H. Yost is expected here either today or tomorrow to lay the plans for next Fall's football campaign. He will meet the football men, will talk things over with Director Bartelme and slip out of town, to return when outdoor work starts.

Al McCoy Victor Over Joe Borrell

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 26.—Al McCoy of Brooklyn, made famous by his punch victory over George Chip last Spring, beat Joe Borrell at the Olympia in six rounds.

Bill to Legalize Racing in Nevada

CARSON CITY, Nev., Jan. 26.—A bill was introduced in the Senate by Bool, of Clark county, to permit racing and betting by the pari-mutuel system in the State.

MURRAY BATTLES LEAGUE LEADERS

THE Murray team will have to do some tall hustling this evening in order to retain third place in the Greater Boston League. The South End rollers will face Bowdoin Square, the league leaders.

Murray is but two points ahead of Rowe's Wharf, and, as the Atlantic Avenue rollers will have Regal as its opponents, Murray must do something out of the ordinary at Bowdoin Square.

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BOWDOIN SQUARE has such a big lead in the race that the team is practically conceded the championship. The West End men have gathered a lead of eleven points on its nearest opponent, and this lead should hold them at the top.

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REGAL is the weakest team in the league, and this season has been able to win only nine points, so a four-point victory by Rowe's Wharf would not be surprising.

Anson Defeats Abbott.

In the twenty-sixth game of the B class amateur billiard tournament at the Elite, Anson defeated Abbott, 200 to 141. Tonight Barry will play Goodwin.

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Forrest Is Winner In Golf Final

PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 26.—H. M. Forrest, Lakewood, was the winner in the New Year golf tournament, winning from W. Manning, Oakland, 3 and 2. R. D. Garden, New York, won the second cup.

Inman Outchasses Hoppe.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Melbourne Inman defeated Willie Hoppe, 600 to 99, in a 3,200-point English billiard match here. The English champion scored 320 in his first inning, the largest run of his American tour.

Browns Are to Keep Outfielder Shotten

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26.—Robert B. Hedges, principal stockholder and president of the local American League Baseball Club, today denied the report that Bert Shotten, his star outfielder, would be traded to the Chicago White Sox.

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EDDIE MURPHY TO BOX JACK BRITTON

By JACK CONWAY

EDDIE MURPHY and Jack Britton may resume their ring feud.

Now comes an offer to referee ten rounds if a letter received from Johnny Meehan from Jacksonville, the south Boston boxing promoter who has the welterweight champion, Jack Britton, tied up.

Murphy has already engaged in two bouts with Britton. The most recent was staged in Boston on Washington's birthday, when the two welterweights battled ten rounds to a draw. The first of their two bouts was fought in Kennedy's Hall, Providence, on Nov. 11, 1915, and Murphy was given the decision.

Johnny Meehan, Britton's manager, is in Los Angeles with Britton at present, but in a letter received by Murphy's manager, Jack Reilly, he says that Britton will be glad to meet Murphy in a ten-round bout in Jacksonville on March 17.

Meehan promises to put up $1000 if Murphy will agree to meet Britton at 142 pounds at 3 o'clock on the day of the bout. Murphy will be given a percentage of the receipts.

Reilly, Murphy's manager, has not yet received a reply to his letter, but he is confident that Murphy will be able to meet Britton at the weight mentioned.

Yanks Not Sold Yarn Branded as Absurd

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The report that Manager Frank Chance of the Yankees has signed Pitcher Jack Warhop, formerly with the Highlanders, is branded as absurd by Harry Sinclair, president of the Yankees.

"Chance has not signed Warhop, nor has he any intention of doing so," said Sinclair. "Warhop is under contract to the Montreal club of the International league, and we have no claim on him. Chance has not even written to him, and I am sure he will not do so."

Howard and Mantell in Clash Tonight

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The middleweight wrestling card of Brooklyn will stage its second bout tonight when Hoyt of Harvard and Mantell of Columbia meet in the main event. Hoyt is considered the cleverest intercollegiate mat star in the east, and Mantell is one of the cleverest wrestlers in the metropolitan district. Both men are in fine condition for tonight's bout.

SPORT QUERIES.

You are summoned to sit at least three cards from the deck in cutting.

Harvard, 1. Princeton, 1.

A is right. Langford knocked out Smith in the fifth round.

JAMES WRAY.

(1) It was a no decision bout. Sharkey was newspaper winner. (2) Most of Brown's bouts were no decision affairs. In decision bouts Brown lost to Sailor Hudkins, Jake Abel. He has been knocked out by Joe Rivers and Ted Kid Lewis.

Not to London in 1908. Jim was a member of the American Olympic team which swept the boards in Stockholm in 1912, however.

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UNDEFEATED HOCKEY RIVALS MEET IN BIG ARENA GAME TONIGHT

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TWO BRAVES AT ODDS WITH CLUB

Bringing Up Father — By George McManus

BY GOLLY THEY AIN'T A CHANCE IN THE ROOM TO REACH IT WITH
WHAT? YOU'LL TAKE THE SET OH! SIR I THANK YOU!
HERE'S YOUR MONEY NOW GIT OUT OF HERE!
EMERSON IS CERTAINLY ELEVATING

Giants Draw Smith in Series with Yank

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One of the largest crowds that has ever witnessed a wrestling tournament in this city saw Waldek Zbyszko, a brother of Stanislaus, defeat Ivanoe Bey, the Tartar, in straight falls in the main bout of a series of three at Mechanics Building.

Zbyszko gained the first fall in a most sensational manner, securing a body lift from a double bridge. After lifting Bey high in the air, Waldek crashed him to the mat.

Zbyszko won the second fall by a half Nelson and inside crotch and dropped his man to the mat after again bolsting him in the air.

George Lurich said in his bout with Karl Lemle. Lurich refused to return to the mat after leaving the ring and Promoter Tousley promptly awarded the decision to Lemle. Lurich did not like the way he was being slapped in the face, although he started the rough work himself.

The bout, which was to have gone to one fall, with an hour limit, lasted forty minutes, and was one of the most spectacular ever seen here. Lemle's fighting on the aggressive throughout.

"Cyclone" Burns and Ivan Michailoff, the giant Cossack, wrestled to a thirty-minute draw, neither man being able to secure a fall within the allotted time limit.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Captain T. L. Huston, who represented the Yankees at the hearing of the baseball suit in Chicago, branded as absurd the yarn sent out from Chicago that the deal for the sale of the Yankees had not been completed. He said that he believed the story was sent out by the Federal League officials in order to show an unsettled condition in the American league.

Robert B. Ward, vice-president of the Federal League, stated that he had nothing to any newspaper representative in Chicago about the Yankees.

Howard and Mantell in Clash Tonight

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The Broadway Sporting Club of Brooklyn will stage two-star ten-round bouts tonight. John Howard of Bayonne, who knocked out Jack Driscoll on two occasions in one round, and also gave Mike Gibbons the toughest argument he ever encountered, will meet Frank Mantell of Providence.

SPORT QUERIES.

Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
What was the score between the hockey teams at Hamilton on January 16?
Harvard, 4; Princeton, 1.

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A bets B that Lankford knocked out Smith in the third round. B says he does not. Who is right?
MAX WAHL.
A is right. Lankford knocked out Smith in the third round.

Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
(1) Did Mike Gibbons defeat Dixon Cross and Sergeant Ed Ryan more times than K. O. Brown beats Hilbert and Hilbert beats Brown?
(2) Who is the champion middleweight boxer of Canada?
(3) Is Jack Dempsey the middleweight champion of the world?
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You are supposed to lift at least three times from the deck to continue.

Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
Two men agree to box ten rounds. One is to receive 60 per cent of the receipts and the other 40 per cent. The first man knocks out the second in the first round. How much does each receive?
M. E. C.
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Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
Will you please tell me if Jim Dupuis, the Canadian champion, ever boxed in the United States? If so, when and with whom?
SUBSCRIBER, SOUTH END, R. I.
Lost to London in 1908, was a member of the American Olympic team which was disbarred in Stockholm in 1912, however.

Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
In a seven-handed game of poker, with stakes of eight dollars, three aces beat a full house. Is it said? Q wants three cards, but cannot take the last one, so as to get a discard for an ace. Then, thinks is giving card to O, O turns up and says he cannot play. Q says he has an ace and wants to discard. Is second take another card, or is he entitled to the discard? Q says he is entitled because he has right to call. Who is right?
BOB BOYLAND.
If card is turned face up on board it is dead.

Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
Please settle the following bet: Is Al Palzer, the former heavyweight baseball player, a Canadian or a native of Tony Caldarella, MONTANA KID.
(1) Leonard Rodel, Sailor White, Soldier Kearns, Bull Young and One Round Davis are about the best known men. Willard defeated, He lost a referee's decision to Gunboat Smith and was held to a draw by Charley Miller. He has been boxing in the south.

Sporting Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
What is the nationality of Tommy Burns, the former heavyweight champion?
A. C. K.
French-Canadian.

EDDIE MURPHY TO BOX JACK BRITTON

By JACK CONWAY.

EDDIE MURPHY and Jack Britton may resume their ring feud in New Orleans, according to information contained in a letter received today by Johnny McGuire from Joe McCarthy, the South Boston boxing manager, who is in the South with the Peninsula lightweight.

Murphy has already engaged in two tussles with Britton. The first bout was staged in Boston on August 27, 1912, the skillful Chicago glove wielder scoring with a dream smash in the eleventh session. The rival ring men later exchanged punches in Kenosha, Wis., and honors were even after ten rounds of fighting.

Danny Morgan, Britton's manager is now in New Orleans with Battling Levinsky. The battler person was scheduled to meet "Gunboat" Smith just outside of New Orleans Sunday, but it was necessary to postpone the contest till next Sunday on account of rain. With Morgan on the scene, there is not any reason why another Murphy-Britton contest would not be arranged.

McCARTHY tried to match Murphy for a tussle with Joe Mandot, to take place on February 14. Murphy declared that he would reduce to 133 pounds at 5 o'clock for the Southern favorite, Wolgast, however, was secured to oppose the French youth, but if the former lightweight champion should meet him an injury Murphy will be pitted against Mandot.

Boxing promoters in St. Louis and Kenosha are at last to secure Murphy's services. The Kenosha promoters would like to have him clash with Charley White, Ad Wolgast or Johnny Dundee. If Murphy boxes in St. Louis, his opponent will be Frankie Callahan, who recently knocked out Joe Rivers, or some other prominent lightweight.

McCARTHY says that there is not any truth in the report that Tortorich, the New Orleans promoter, and Tom McCarey of Los Angeles have united. He asserts that if McCarey is to secure a place in the boxing game in New Orleans that he will have to fight every inch of the ground. Tortorich has a commanding position in the south, but intend to relinquish any of his rights in the game from California.

If McCarey is really desirous of promoting ring matches in New Orleans he will probably succeed in doing so. Tortorich, at least, will not be able to block his plans. All McCarey has to do if he wishes to become a fixture in New Orleans boxing is to secure a suitable clubhouse and put on matches between star men. Boxing "fans" do not care a rap for a main event unless a bout as long as it is a good one. As Memphis Phil Kaufman has demonstrated, experience is not a necessity in order to show an unsettled condition in the American league.

Robert B. Ward, vice-president of the Federal League stated that he said nothing to any newspaper representative in Chicago about the Yankees.

"Jimmy Clabby, hatted as the mid-dleweight champion, shot his own title full of holes in his ten-round battle with Gibbons by his poke style of boxing. Jimmy was fast and extremely clever, but whatever else he possessed he left in the dressing room. His punching power was nothing like what it have been. Though he did land a few good ones. His aggressiveness was never prominent, and even at in-fighting, said to be his forte, he was outdone. In the ten rounds of mulling it gave the first and last to the Hammond boy, three rounds were even, and five were Gibbons.

"WHILE there wasn't anything real-ly decisive about the battle, Mike won by a big margin. Jimmy made the great mistake of his life by boxing. Had he allowed Mike to come in Jim would have avoided many a stiff wallop and wouldn't have looked so bad in the eyes of the spectators. His leading naturally paved the way for Mike to cross and he made his opponent appear helpless.

"It wasn't the same Clabby that has fought Chip, Murray, Brown and the rest. He didn't have the speed to the clutch seriously at all. Instead of slamming in with his famous lefts he seizes he danced about his opponent, offering his foot and jaw to Mike as a target, and when the opportunities offered themselves for him to land, but his kick wasn't the Stanley Ketchel force back of it. Whatever solid hitting there was must be credited to Gibbons. Why Jim should deliberately go out and offer himself up to Mike's punches without apparent defence I can't understand.

"JIMMY very cleverly slipped his head and body away from many punches, and clever and fast as Gibbons was, Jim fooled him. It was this fool stuff that proved a big disadvantage to him and which cost him his fight. Cleverness is great, but there's got to be more back of it when fighting a man like Gibbons. Mike had let Jim offer enough to drop him had he possessed that terrific punch. Jimmy paid most of his attention to the stomach instead of shooting at the head and jaw."

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LOOK AT THAT GUY JOIN THE ANNA HELD WITH HIS PEEPERS
NEVER MIND NO BANNTH FER ME DAN I WAS CAUGHT IN THE RAIN YESTIDDY
WHAT'S YOUR LOWEST TERMS FOR ALIENS?
I CAN'T TELL YOU NOW—THERE ARE LADIES PRESENT
HERE! WHERE WE FILL UP THE ICE WATER TANK
THAT GUY JUMPED ME A LEAD NICKEL LAST YEAR
SEE I'M HUNGRY—WHEN DO WE PUT ON THE FEED BAG?
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The end of the Paul Hines triple play controversy is in sight. One of the gentlemen who have written to me about the play comes back with a second letter, enclosing a clipping from a Providence newspaper, which seems to settle the matter beyond all question. Here is the letter:

In a previous letter the writer gave a version of the "Paul Hines triple play," as it was given out by the New York Press and W. M. Rankin, supposed to be authorities on all baseball questions.

Since writing you that letter and reading the various letters written to you by eyewitnesses of the play, I have been doing a little Sherlock Holmes-Pinkerton-Burns sleuth work, interviewing old-times fans who saw that particular game. Some of these had forgotten the exact way the play was made, while others did not agree as to whether Hines crossed second or third after catching the ball. To my mind the momentum of such a remarkable catch back of short after a run of over 150 feet, would naturally carry the player across the third big bracket of second, as stated by some of your correspondents.

After reading C. S. Sweeney's letter in which he declared the papers of that day with some of the game should be examined before passing judgment, also the letter of O. P. Hick, of Newton, who quoted a newspaper account of this play which did not credit Hines with an unassisted triple play, I decided to look up the matter for myself once and for all.

Through the courtesy of my old friend Charles R. Coppin, sporting editor of the Providence Journal, the writer examined the files of that paper and found the true story of this memorable game which settles this much-discussed question after nearly thirty-seven years have passed and gone.

It is no wonder the question has been in dispute so many years when such expert writers as George Moreland, Al Spink, Ernest Lanigan and W. M. Rankin have failed to agree on the subject. Doff your hats to the veteran, Tim Murnane, who held down the first station for the Providence Grays. Tommy Bond, who pitched for Boston, and Johnny Morrill, who fanned the initial bag for the Beaneaters on May 8, 1878, and who have declared the game was the oldest piece of the unassisted triple play on that date.

I enclose clipping of the story which I furnished the Providence Sunday Journal today and trust it may be of interest to the many baseball fans who are enjoying your breezy column from day to day. Yours very truly,

H. W. WINCHESTER.

Providence, January 25.

And here is the clipping from the Providence Sunday Journal, January 25:

Local fans may be interested to get the exact data of this celebrated play right off the bat, so to speak, taken from the Providence Journal of May 9, 1878.

The game was played on the Messer street grounds with nearly 5,000 spectators in attendance. The Providence Grays had defeated the champion Boston team in the previous game and this fact brought down a crowd of fans from the Hub.

The Grays won out by a score of 3 to 2, with Paul Hines acting in the day for the locals and leaving a bunch of Boston money in local hands.

The Journal's story of the eighth inning of the memorable game in which Paul Hines made the first unassisted triple play in the major leagues follows:

"Wilmarth obtained his first on called balls. Manning batted a slowly rolling grounder between first and second base, which Sweasey picked up and swiftly tossed to Murnane. It was tossed over his head, and Orfeuille ran like a deer around the bases and scored a run while Manning succeeded in reaching third—a most distressing error to the Providence spectators.

"Murnane muffed Sutton's fly, and then Burdock struck the ball, hitting it over Carey's head sufficiently far to warrant the base runners and even the anxious crowd in prophesying that it was a base hit. Manning and Sutton speeded to the home plate, while fear and trembling possessed the hearts of the thankless spectators. But Hines, meantime, had espied the ball, which rebounded to the top of his speed from far centre field, captured it, ere it touched the ground, crossed out his running until he had touched third. Burdock and Manning, and then threw swiftly Sweasey, returning to and completing a brilliant triple play amid the wildest shouts and demonstration imaginable.

"The runners looked at each other in blank astonishment at this wonderful play, while the crowd, knowing that Hines had saved the day, cheered and shouted without stint. Orfeuille remembered the play, expressed their delight at the play by sundry slaps and demonstrations of pleasure, all of which Paul Hines received with becoming modesty. It was a long time ere the crowd became sufficiently composed to resume their attention upon the game."

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It will be noticed that the reporter's account of the play is somewhat confusing, but it is easy to see that Hines made the triple play unassisted. According to the above report Orfeuille was put out twice—once by Hines at third base and again when he threw to Sweasey at second. But, of course, Sweasey really had no hand in the play, as he was retired by Hines before Sweasey handled the ball.

Ministers Oppose Smith-Flynn Bout at Cincinnati Club

CINCINNATI, Jan. 26.—The Methodist Ministers' Association of Cincinnati went on record today as opposed to the holding of the Gunboat Smith-Jim Flynn boxing contest here, February 6.

Assistant-General Hough of the Ohio National Guard notified the athletes today that in his opinion the statutes would prevent the bout from taking place at the Ohio National Guard Armory, and immediately thereafter the ministers appointed a committee instructed to do all in its power to prevent the contest.

The County Commissioners have notified the State militia officers that the armory belongs to the county, that the militia is only a tenant, and that the commissioners refuse to rescind their action in renting the armory to the promoters of the bout. The local Boxing Commission has granted permission for it.

Brooklyn Outbids 'Feds' for Stengel

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26.—President Ebbets of the Brooklyn club has outbid Stovall and Tinker of the Feds for the services of Stengel, that slugger having signed with the Dodgers for 1915.

DIAMOND NOTES

THE SAPS WILL GET ALONG WITH only two scouts in 1915, such a Western dispatch declared in the Sporting News, but they would get along a whole lot better without any.

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JOE TINKER, THE CHIEFS MANAGER, may sign the Forest Chicago baseball player, Hollocher, who is said to be a phenom, but first team assistant to manager of the Cubs Johnny Kling, A. G. Spalding.

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IT IS REPORTED THAT GEORGE STOvall will be given the Cubs' job as manager because of the rush seems and "pull" he has with Ebbets.

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IVY WINGO'S BLIND CHECK, REPRE-senting money paid for rights of the Wingo-Cardinal deal, which was held back in Chicago by Walter Johnson.

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MILLER HUGGINS IS STILL HOPEFUL that Pat Dougherty will be with the Yankees. It is known that the decision in the case of Pat is in the hands of Ban Johnson, to decide when he is "O. K."

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BUDDY RYAN, KNOWN AS "HOME RUN Baker" in the Texas league, has finished Catching, batting .300, and signing Pats, and been released to Salt Lake City.

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DICK HARTLEY HAS SIGNED A CONtract to coach Columbia University baseball team for the coming season.

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OWNER HERMAN RITTER'S THREE-INCH Cannon ball has been sent away from the Brooklyn Baseball Park, and will be used by Manager Wilbert Robinson to train his pitchers.

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JOE BIRMINGHAM HAS CORRALLED A colleague. He is Lloyd Wright, who managed Cleveland in the Federal League. Since Cleveland is in the Federal League. Since Cleveland is out, Lloyd has no league to manage.

SAYS MEREDITH WILL RUN HERE

Georges W. Orton, the Penn track coach, firmly asserts that Ted Meredith, his Olympic star, will represent the university in the I. C. A. A. games to be held in Mechanics Building February 6 according to word received here today.

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BEECHER MEETS FREDDIE WELSH

Cub Players Start for Southern Camps

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Many of the Cub players will be in Florida long before the training trains March 1 at Tampa, for they are starting South shortly. Grantham, outfielder, intends to Chicago today to make arrangements for his departure Sunday night. Phelps reported at the Cub headquarters and greeted Manager Bresnahan.

Pierce is going to Ormond, Fla., to join Jimmy Archer, who went there nearly a month ago with his wife. They will remain there until time to report at Tampa. Cheney, Fiesha and Good are in Florida now, while several of the others are in the South.

62 Harvard Men in Irish-American Meet

Harvard's track team has entered sixty-two men for the Irish-American meet to be held at Mechanics Building Saturday night.

Captain Frank Capper and Bill Fincham of Harvard will enter the race for the Duffy trophy, the event in which Mel Sheppard, Grantor of Dartmouth, Hinchliffe of Yale, and Whitney Allen of Bowdoin are entered.

Festus Madden Loses to Jimmy Fitzgerald

TAUNTON, Jan. 26.—Festus Madden of South Boston was defeated by Jimmy Fitzgerald, the Australian, by a margin of seven laps in a fifteen-mile running race here.

Fitzgerald took the lead in the tenth mile and was never headed. Madden suffered severely from blisters on his feet. The time was 1 hour 21 minutes 42 2-5 seconds.

Princeton Man to Coach Swarthmore

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 26.—William W. Roper, Swarthmore's star halfback, will be head coach. This is the title by which the former Princeton fullback, star and gridiron coach will be known for a few days, for Roper has been chosen head tutor for the Garnet eleven. The announcement that a Princeton man will have charge of the destinies of the suburban athletes caused considerable surprise in this city.

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ARENA IN CLASH WITH NEW HAVEN

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Referee—Dr. George W. Tingley. Time—Probably two halves.

Two undefeated hockey teams, both among the foremost claimants to the honor of the championship of the United States, will face each other at the Arena tonight, when the Arena Hockey Club challenges the New Haven. A defeat for either outfit will practically put it out of the running.

The Arena team has made a flying start, but to win the national title must defeat the New Haven aggregation, and the last test for the local team will be the big game tonight.

The New Haven team, led by spider Soquin, is said to be a corker, and are said to represent everything that is fast and clean in hockey. The Hartford team will play clean hockey also, "the locals can take care of themselves in a general mêlée, but this style of play is tabooed at the Arena.

There has never been a game arranged in this city in which there was more interest manifested, and a contest which should make the game one of the most interesting of the season.

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MUSIC AND MIRTH ON KEITH'S BILL

Music and laughter are headliners at Keith's Theatre this week.

Arthur Marx, for instance, as the "nondescript" in the elaborate act of the Four Marx Brothers, who make musical entertainment out of a harp that seems possible, combined with rich comedy. Arthur and his harp are but one of many features in an elaborate act.

Cecil Lean likewise provides music and mirth, a pair of his own songs and much of his own making. Assisted by Clio Mayfield, who seems to be enjoying perfect health, Mr. Lean indulges in a telephone-poker song which is one of the cleverest bits of his program. Then, with James Billings as a luckless bridegroom, Mr. Lean performs a delightful wedding ceremony. There are several other bright and melodious songs and a deal of merry chatter in the "Cecilian" number.

An elopement opens a sketch called "Elopement." Then a barn door opens and out pops the head of an amateur horse, in the form of Jack Wise. The horse comes out and does all the ridiculous things that the "head" and "front legs"—played by two actors—but unknown gentlemen—can think of, and Jack Wise makes a large dent in the program.

Lew Angeles, the "neutral soldier" gets a heap of fun out of the war, while delivering a lot of sound philosophy at the same time. Every other joke he springs has a kernel of sound sense, knocking the "fighting soldier gets mostly ice water in this world" message across with much laugh, but he makes them think, too.

The Leightons come on in "The Party of the second part" and it is just as clear as mud to the colored gentleman that the party of the second part agrees with the party of the first part to play a part in the show and play a part accordingly, provided that the party—and then some.

Sophie Barnard, the original "Red Widow," sings to encores with clever and sweetness. Her rendition of the old song is a particular hit.

Current events, including war, are shown on the moving pictures. Pathedinoff and Louie point out a rending, tearing, screaming, impossible trick, and the Bird Millmans troupe of wire dancers close the bill brilliantly.

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MARIE TEMPEST AT THE MAJESTIC

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

Marie Tempest, the English comedienne, began an engagement limited to one week at the Majestic last night. During the week she will offer three plays, "Mary Goes First," which she did last night; "The Marriage of Kitty," which she has performed before, and a curtain raiser for the latter called, "The Dumb and the Blind."

Marie Tempest has been one of the personalities of the English speaking stage for a good many years. She was very young she was in musical comedy, she has even essayed grand opera, but during the last decade she has confined herself with English social comedy.

Not many plays have been written about British society that really interest Americans, but no matter what that stage may be, Marie Tempest has always sufficed for Miss Tempest and her audience.

Last night, for instance, she appeared in "Mary Goes First," a piece from the pen of Henry Arthur Jones. If "Mary Goes First" came around here it would be despatched with all speed Whatever may be said for the delicate art of Miss Tempest it is a very amusing little affair well worth seeing and hearing.

Mary is a cat, she is engaged in a most delicate affair of the heart at the time. The whole affair starts because the silly woman whose husband has been stolen is stolen in turn by a confidence man another woman whose husband is equally gulf while these were handing out titles.

Mary, in being sued for slander because she said that Mary's baby had peroxide hair and seed rouge. Marya is engaged by a lawyer to appear. Her predicaments wouldn't interest us at all if it were not for the extraordinary manner in which Miss Tempest gains our attention and tickles our risibilities. We laugh and laugh when she becomes a barnestess or a lady baron or whatever the female of baron may be, and when she undresses over her peroxide rival in a preposterous final scene.

The star is aided by a good English company. W. Graham Brown plays the best, a rather colorless character who tries to be all things to all men and succeeds. Beatrix Fraser is a charming girl, played by Lillian Cavanagh. Franklin Orall was capital of the plodding husband who had rather play golf than enter politics but who is the victim of the latter's ambition for a title. Mayon Musgrave managed excellently a portly and pompous gentleman of title. All the roles were well done. On Wednesday and Thursday nights "The Marriage of Kitty" will be played.

Modern Theatre.

Desert Flower, one of the most popular romantic actors on the American stage, is appearing here for the half of this week at the Modern Theatre, in a wonderful photographic production of Edgcumb Pinchon's triumph, "The Girl I Left Behind Me." The picture is offered in five parts, replete with thrilling and exciting situations. It is staged by the William Fox Special Film Service. Miss Flower surrounded the star with a company of capable and well-known players. The other part of the bill included the latest instalment of "The Master Key," the most recent release of the Pathe Weekly.

Orpheum Theatre.

Leland West and his company of players in the big comedy success entitled, "The Last Hope," proved to be one of the best acts on the bill at the Orpheum. Others to appear were the "Monarch Comedy Four," who rendered new songs and dances; Ryan and Lee Hoyer and brother, in a comedy, "The Newsboy;" Lew Hoffman, in modern dances; Carroll and Hickey, in a comedy talk skit, and the pony ballet specialties of Jessie Reynolds, closed the house in laughter. The Orpheum Concert Trio rendered a delightful program at this theatre yesterday.

Loew's Globe Theatre.

Headlining the vaudeville program at this theatre yesterday was the beautiful and talented La Tosca Troupe of Italian grand opera singers, which includes Zallah, the famous dancing queen, in a repertoire of selections, which will be the special feature of special interest in "Thirty Years of the Prize Ring." Richard Richards, the old time fighter, is also there are also many entertaining vaudeville features, including the fourteen Bobker Arabs.

Grand Opera House.

There is a show this week at the Grand Opera House that is new to Boston and is worth seeing. It is the Gay Widows Company and serves to introduce a number of pretty girls to the patrons and they are very clever and put forth a lot of energy in their work. The principal feature of entertainment. The girls include Marie Baugrade, May Daniel Faust and Phoebe Hall, a host of other pretty entertainers.

National Theatre.

Here Oscar Starr, the strongest man in the world, is the special vaudeville bill at the huge National Tremont and Berkeley streets. Starr is a remarkable type of man of his weight and size who can toss 1,000 lbs. The surrounding bill includes mostly vaudeville acts, though in a specialty dancing act Hanako and Toto offer a few character changes and other vaudeville.

Exeter Street Theatre.

The Exeter Street Theatre is offering this week that dainty little star, Marguerite Clark, in "The Crucible," one of the most sensational of all Paramount pictures. The first half of next week Lois Weber will be seen in "False Colors."

Bon Tons Score Big Hit at Gaiety Theatre Opening

One of the conspicuous successes of the season was the appearance of Bert Baker and the Bon Tons yesterday at the Gaiety Theatre.

The familiar face of Mr. Baker was missing on account of a sudden illness although it is expected that he will be able to appear within a day or two.

Jack Hague, who assumed Mr. Baker's place, was not long in ingratiating the audience, that while he was not Mr. Baker, he had the part down pat and made more than good throughout the performance. Mr. Hague, by the way, is a well-known Boston man, and a host of friends paid him hearty applause.

Another man who is just as clever in Boston as he is in Paris is Ray Raymond, who assisted in sending the folks home in a very happy mood, as did Miss Bert Gilroy, Miss Daisy Williams, Steve Gordon and Frank Murphy.

The honors among the female contingent were carried off by Miss Lucille Manion, the handsome leading lady. Miss Hermione Miles, the soubrette and Miss Mercedes Alvin. The "rough house" dancer of Miss Billie Jackson's company, Murphy scored a tremendous hit.

Waldron's Casino.

Barney Gerard's Follies of This (Day) Company, entitled "What Do You Follies Want?" in two acts and six scenes, is at Charles H. Waldron's Casino this week, opening two performances daily. The company is headed by Barney Gerard, Jack Reid, Bert Savoy, the rotating team, and by Billy Gaston and Gertrude Hayes, in a skit of Mary's Lamb, with a fetching setter. There are twenty-two musical numbers, including Miss Williams' Dance of Fire, which is a novelty in dancing of about everything in the theatrical line is presented—drama, opera, musical and burlesque—and there are many impersonations of famous characters in stage life.

Among the principals are Chester Nelson, Jules Williams, Eliza May, Ruth Sullivan, Vivian Cefal, the twins Ray Conlogue and Teddy Conlogue and "Dancing Bricktops." There is also a chorus of twenty-four pretty girls, women. Manager Jack McMahara announces a professional matinee Friday.

Scollay Square Olympia.

A show with a thousand laughs applies to the show at the Scollay Square Olympia this week, and the management has certainly kept true to form in providing the Monday night comedy. Under the direction of Buckley, the "Two Men and a Girl" company, headed by Lillian Cavanagh, Franklin Orall and Mayon Musgrave, is offering entirely "A Theatrical Agency." Eddie Foyer is fun, songs and dances are pleasing features, and the chorus girls are pretty and clever entertainers. Francesca Redding is the leading woman, and the show is staged by Harry Bloomfield. The olio is headed by "Hogan's Alley Quartet," whose singing is pleasing. Others on the Monday night program were Will and Kummins, comedy and singing; Jean Hair Wayne, comedienne; Elizabeth Cutty, with her musical offerings. The entire two acts close with a fifty minutes of the "Exploits of Elaine," entitled "The Poisoned Bullet."

JEWETT PLAYERS PRESENT 'CAESAR'

They are still making history at the Boston Opera House, and this week it is a sanguinous and protracted one, for the Jewett Players of the English company which is producing the classic under the management of Henry Jewett, Mr. Jewett himself got into harness last night and played the important role of Brutus in the tragedy of Julius Caesar, the distinguished ruler who has been accorded especial fame for their performances.

"Julius Caesar" has always been one of the most popular and yet the least frequently performed of the bill of Shakespeare's plays, for the reason that Marc Antony every so many months. There was a big audience last night and the performance that provided a most wonderful scenic production, which is the best that has been seen in Boston for many years, and seemed to be about 150 people on the stage.

Mr. Jewett's Cassius is a notable creation. His strong personality does not detract from the finish and the least attractive of Shakespearean roles, and yet he does not overshadow the part of Brutus, as is the instigator of the assassination of Caesar. The part of Brutus is played as an equally splendid characterization.

The remainder role of the play is that of Portia, played by Jessie Willcox. H. A. Tonge played Julius Caesar, Edgar Nelson played Casca, Ernest Lamb assumed the other male roles, while the women were Misses Whitaker, Hamilton and Willcox.

"Julius Caesar" is announced for this week, and for next week will be followed by "The Merchant of Venice."

'Too Many Cooks' Makes Its Debut at the Plymouth

The brisk and entertaining comedy by Frank Craven, "Too Many Cooks," at the Plymouth last night for an extended stay after a long run in New York. There was a very large audience present and they enjoyed the piece. The piece will be reviewed in detail by Edward Johns in the issue of AMERICAN.

Mr. Craven himself and Miss Jean Ingram played the principal roles, now comes to premier roles in Boston, plays the leading parts in the comedy.

Park Theatre.

Even the most unconvincing amusement seekers cannot but be pleased with the bill now on view at the Park Theatre this week, as it offers a series of features that are of the highest theatrical qualities. The Fairmount picture presenting the celebrated English artiste, Miss Gertrude Clark, in "The Inside Girl," is an elaborate five version of Harold Vosburgh's well known story, and need not be more highly recommended.

"The Inside Girl" is undoubtedly one of a very pleasing type, and it is not often that the imagination is so delightfully stimulated by such a monotonous routine and aimlessness of daily life into the realms of romance and fascination, principally as is accomplished in this excellent production. The musical accompaniment for this leading feature is supplied by the special orchestral program under the direction of Charles Frank.

PLAYS THAT REMAIN.

HOLLIS STREET—"Indomable" is just as popular as ever at the Hollis Street Theatre, where another large and fashionable audience greeted the company last night at the opening of the fourth week of its second engagement in Boston. Matinees will be given Wednesday and Saturday.

SHUBERT—That merry little farce-comedy success, "Excuse Me," is receiving a rousing welcome in Boston at the Shubert Theatre, where it is to remain for the entire week. Matinees will be given Wednesday and Saturday.

COLONIAL—Harry Lauder, the famous Scotch comedian, is in the midst of his second week at the Colonial Theatre, where he is receiving a rousing welcome from large audiences. Matinees will be given Wednesday and Saturday.

CASTLE SQUARE—"Common Clay" is the current offering at the Castle Square and the Harvard scenes are said not to be unlike its customary fare.

TREMONT TEMPLE—"Experience" Keys to Success" has distinguished Boston for great life and success, and seems to be about 150 people on the stage.

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COMING EVENTS.

Seats went on sale at the box office of the Hollis street Theatre today for the engagement of Miss Billie Burke in "Jerry," which will begin there next Monday evening. In New York "Jerry" was pronounced one of the most delightful plays that Miss Burke had given there.

"The Miracle Man" will be the next attraction at the Boston Opera House, February 8 by the entire Broadway cast and will be transferred to Chicago.

William Pascoe has to Francaid de Wolf Hopper, the comic opera star, the Hollis, comes to the Boston Opera House next week for a limited engagement direct from its opening of prosperity in New York, where it has been the talk of the town of the current season. In the cast are Hazel Dawn, Georgia Caine, Frank Lalone and Grace Heyden. The scenes by Joseph Jones, of New York, and will be handled by Fenimore Heatherton.

"What's Going On," John Corfe's latest musical comedy, is to be the attraction for two weeks, beginning tomorrow night. Mr. Corfe has surrounded himself with a host of singers, comedy and farcemen, including Ethel Green, Frances Pearson, Emma Wilson, Dorothy Webb, Ray Cox, Maude Beatty and Jockey and Dixon.

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BUILDERS—Have several country estates to sell; will build to suit purchaser. Apply to OWNER, 10 Tremont st., Boston.

FOR SALE—20-room house, with 3 baths, hot water heating plant, electric lights, set tubs, hardwood floors throughout; lot 100 x 200; corner going west. 7 Pleasant st., Dedham.

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HOUSEKEEPER—Position wanted in wid. family; Amer. P. O. 6, 68 Beach st., Wintby, Mass.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, reliable housekeeper; 2 in family; references; city; best references. 6—3 Melrose st., Boston.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position in small family; middle-aged woman; good cook; city or country. Call or address 6 ASCH PLACE, Cor. Mass. ave.

HOUSEKEEPER—Position in small family; plain cook or will assist; best ref.; moderate wages. 6 Bellevue st., Roxbury.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, by middle-aged woman, position in small family; good cook; reference. Address 6 22, Boston American.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, by woman, position in quiet family; good cook. Call 10 Davis st., Cambridge.

HOUSEKEEPER—Young lady desires position as housekeeper; will go to New York or Boston. 6

NEAT girl wants small laundry work; 2 days; home or go out by the day; good ironer. Call or write 625 Bedford st., Bridgewater.

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NURSE—Wanted, position by young woman; good reference; will travel; best of care of children. 6 Boston American.

NURSE—Wanted, position by middle-aged woman; best of references

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Governor Walsh Would Give Every Boy and Girl a College Education Free

The Bar Examiners Should Emulate His Example

Some bills have been introduced this year intending to correct a mistaken policy of the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners. This board has been trying to prevent the legal profession in Massachusetts from becoming overcrowded.

Lawyers already within the sacred precincts of the Bar have complained of the overcrowded condition of their profession ever since it became a profession. Schoolboys remember that Daniel Webster himself was advised against the attempt to become a lawyer because the profession THEN was overcrowded. His famous reply is the answer which every boy who is ambitious to become a lawyer still makes to the same objection—"There is always room at the top."

But the admission of men to any of the learned professions who are incompetent from the lack of general mental discipline and knowledge is an evil to the whole community. A bungling lawyer or doctor, in the course of his career, can do untold damage. It may be wise to raise the standard of admission to the practice of law in this State, but there should be no arbitrary test which puts a premium upon the advantages that mere fortune gives to some and raises up an insuperable obstacle to the less fortunate.

Any attempt to raise the standard of admission to the Bar should be controlled by the understanding that the young man who acquires the requisite knowledge under the most DIFFICULTIES has given evidence of character, industry and self-denial which are the very best qualities in a good lawyer.

This principle does not seem to have guided the Bar examiners and the coterie of gentlemen who have been advising these examiners. They began by refusing to permit boys to take the examinations for the Bar who had not a high school degree, and they refused to accept boys who had taken degrees in the evening high schools.

This was wrong from every point of view. A boy who is supported by his parents and sent to a day high school with nothing to do but study, and often stimulated by the fear of parental disfavor, has no opportunity to reveal the character which is shown by the boy whom necessity requires to work for a living all day and whose ambition and industry lead him to work at night for an education and a profession.

A boy who is willing to give up every moment of his conscious hours to work and to forego all pleasure for the sake of an education and a profession is a boy who has given evidence of the qualities that will make a good professional man; and this the boy nurtured and fostered and supported by his parents in school does not have the chance to show. It is not that the boy who has graduated from the day high school should be regarded LESS favorably, but that the boy who has graduated from a night school, or who has attained the requisite qualifications in any other way, while supporting himself and perhaps supporting others, should be regarded MORE favorably when considering his qualifications for the Bar.

There is more than the standing of the profession at stake in this problem. It must not be said to boys or girls who have been obliged to leave school through the poverty or the death of their parents or through any other misfortune that the way to advancement in the learned professions is forever closed. We do not want a professional caste in this country. We should even make sacrifices to prevent it. Under the rule which the Bar examiners were attempting to enforce, Abraham Lincoln and Henry Clay could not have been lawyers in Massachusetts.

Quite opposite to the attitude of the Bar examiners is the position which the Governor took in his last inaugural message. Governor Walsh in that message recommended that the State should adopt a plan by which a college education could be given to every working boy or girl in this Commonwealth who wants it and is willing to work in the evening for it.

The State of Wisconsin has already adopted this plan, which is called the "University Extension." Lectures, illustrations, instructions, explanations, books and all that is necessary to give the boy or girl on the farm or in a factory or store an education equal to that which can be obtained at college will be furnished free of cost by the Commonwealth itself.

The spirit which inspired Governor Walsh to recommend the adoption of this system, intended to give the poor girl and boy a chance, is a system which should animate the Bar examiners. Let them raise the standard of general education if it is wise, BUT LET THEM UNDERSTAND THAT THERE SHOULD BE NO ARBITRARY RESTRICTIONS UPON THE METHOD BY WHICH THAT EDUCATION IS OBTAINED. Moreover, an examination should not be held upon subjects requiring laboratory or other work which it is not possible for a poor girl or boy to do at home.

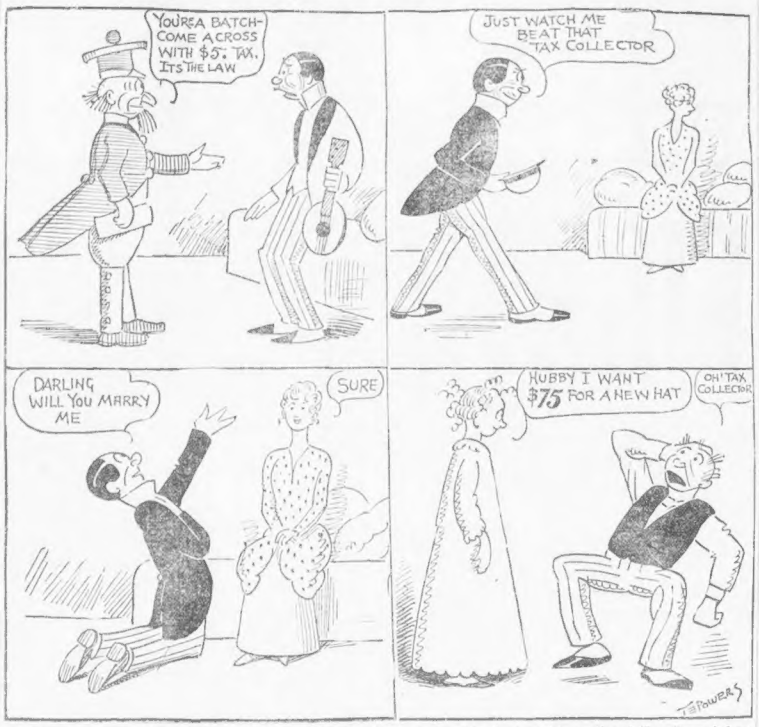
WORDS

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

GIVE me the words! The music matters not
Each man will set them to a melody,
If they but paint the truth for him to see,
And show him Virtue's white and Vice's blot.
Such words are like so many soldiers shot
To aid a cause or set a nation free;
Great minds have given these words to you and me,
Herded and woven in a convincing plot.

The music matters not. If words tell truth,
And lead us upward with their clear appeal,
Soothing the aged and inspiring youth,
Can music make them more sublime, more real?
The words that brought men from the old, dark years
Are ringing with the music of the spheres.

Does It Pay to Be a Bachelor?


YOU'RE A BATCH- COME ACROSS WITH $5. TAX. IT'S THE LAW
JUST WATCH ME BEAT THAT TAX COLLECTOR
DARLING WILL YOU MARRY ME
SURE
HUBBY I WANT $75 FOR A NEW HAT
OH! TAX COLLECTOR
T. D. POWERS

A bill imposing a tax of five dollars a year on bachelors has been introduced in the Legislature. Here is Tom Powers' view of the saving to be effected by marriage.

Mysteries of Nature and Science

Marvels of the World Inside the Atom---It Is Only a 250,000,000th of an Inch in Diameter, but Has Room for 500 Million Million Electrons

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

"TO what extent is matter discontinuous?" I have heard it said that a molecule is composed of only a few chemically elemental atoms; and, again, that it is made up of millions of them, each isolated to a remarkable degree. Which view is right? Is the hypothetical electron supposed to bear the same relation to the atom as the atom does to the molecule? If a molecule of water, for example, comprises only two atoms of hydrogen and one of oxygen, where is the intermediate gap, if there is one, between its own constituent atoms and the physical atom?"

EDWIN SUTHERLAND

When the man of science ventures into the realm of atoms, molecules, electrons, all of which are individually too small to be seen, he finds himself wandering, like the hero of the "Pilgrim's Progress," through obscure darkness, amid pitfalls that beset his feet on every side, and with confusing demons whispering misleading suggestions and false analogies into his ears. He has nothing but his imagination, trained by the results of experience and observation in the visible and tangible world, to guide him.

Seem Contradictory

The result is that his definitions of the things that he finds, or seems to find, although they may perfectly describe its own impressions, appear, sometimes, contradictory, or unconvincing, to the average man who only reads about that marvellous underworld of the atom. Hence such questions as those asked above. And the confusion has been vastly increased in consequence of the discovery that the atom, instead of being, as was formerly thought, a simple, indivisible particle, the smallest possible portion into which any matter can be divided, is, in fact, a complex object, made up of very much smaller particles, called electrons.

A vivid conception of the real nature of an atom, so far as its complexity of structure is concerned, is conveyed by a remark of Professor Rowland that "a grand piano is a very simple mechanism compared, say, with an atom of iron."

The atom, then, is not a solid particle, but an organism, or system, composed of discontinuous parts, i. e., parts which do not touch, or press upon one another, and these parts are the electrons. What proportion of the space inside an atom is occupied by the electrons, which are believed to be in ceaseless revolution, or vibration, we cannot say with certainty. What we do know is that the mass, or weight, of an electron is about one-thousandth of that of an atom of hydrogen, which is the smallest atom known. But this does not tell us exactly what the electron's size is, because we do not know its relative density. However, by calculations based on the electric charge borne by the electron its size has been approximately estimated. In this way it has been found that the diameter of an electron may be not more than one twenty-million-millionth of an inch, while that of an atom is as much as one two-hundred-and-fifty-millionth of an inch. If this is correct, the atom, minute though it be, is 10,000 times as great in diameter as an electron. At this ratio of diameters it would take five hundred million million electrons to pack an atom full.

But it is estimated that the hydrogen atom contains only 1,000 electrons, and even the atom of so dense a substance as mercury not more than 200,000. Thus we see that there is an abundance of "open room" inside the atom.

Sir Oliver Lodge has made a striking comparison showing the amount of room in an atom. Imagine an ordinary church, he says, to be an atom of hydrogen. The electrons constituting it will be represented by about 1,000 grains of sand, each of the size of a printer's period, or full point (.), dashing in all directions or rotating with inconceivable velocity and filling the whole interior of the church with their tumultuous motion.

Next above the atom comes the molecule. By the term molecule is meant the "smallest combination of atoms that will form a given chemical compound." There are some eighty different chemical elements, and consequently some eighty different kinds of atoms. But there are thousands of chemical compounds, each made up of a number of chemical elements whose atoms unite to form the molecules composing the compound. Unfortunately in physics the term molecule is sometimes used in such a way as to cause confusion with the atom.

Now, just as the electrons composing the atom are free to move and are far from being crowded together, or in direct touch with one another, so the molecules composing any common bit of matter, such as a piece of wood or of paper, have free space between them and are in continual motion, circulating around and among one another and in certain cases having mutual collisions.

Nothing Is Solid

From all that has been said above, it becomes clear that even the most dense and "solid" bodies that we have any experience of, such, for instance, as a mass of pure gold, are by no means continuous in their internal structure. It is because of the coarseness of our sense impressions that they seem solid to us. If we could look at a cannonball with microscopic eyes, magnifying billions of diameters, the mass of metal would dissolve into a diaphanous haze composed of vibrating molecules, made up of revolving atoms constituted from dancing electrons; and all of them—the molecules in the mass of iron, the atoms in the molecules and the electrons in the atoms—would be seen to have an abundance of room around them in which to perform their unending gyrations.

In short, all matter is discontinuous in its texture, and it is only the limitations of our senses that cause us to think of any body as being a continuous solid. We may squeeze the molecules of a substance closer together, and then we will simply heat it, for the molecular vibrations increase in quickness with the restriction of the space, but there is no reason to think that we could ever force two molecules into absolute contact, or that we could compress an atom into a smaller compass.

Inklings and Thinklings

By WEX JONES

Writer says that poultrymen don't get more eggs because they don't give their hens proper amusement. Still it would be awkward to take a flock of leghorns to the movies every night.

Kipling having said that the English are the only humorous nation, Walter Emanuel declares that in England "one has to ring a bell before making a joke or it will pass unnoticed." From reading Emanuel's page in Punch we know that he's always ringing the bell, but apparently forgets the joke.

During a fire in a Brooklyn school the children marched out to the tune of "Tipperary." Safety before neutrality.

The great advantage of naming a baby after a President is that it saves the parents a lot of brain fag.

Self-raising flour may be all right, but we don't want that kind of price on it.

This is from an article on President Wilson in the London Sketch: "That he knows how to hand out a cracker-jaw line of talk all right is the verdict of his audience."

After reading the President's speeches we believe "cracker-jaw" is a more descriptive word than the "crackerjack" which upset the Sketch's attempt at our slang.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox ---ON--- Progress of Women in East

Mohammed Did Much to Elevate Social State of Arabs by Laws Which Now Seem Crude

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IN the banquet hall of Progress
God has bidden to a feast
All the women in the East.

Some have said, "We are not ready—
We must wait another day."
Some, with voices clear and steady,
"Lord, we hear, and we obey."
Others, timid and uncertain,
Step forth trembling in the light,
Many hide behind the curtain
With their faces hid from sight.

In the banquet hall of Progress
All must gather soon or late,
And the patient Host will wait.

If today or if tomorrow,
If in gladness, or in woe,
If with pleasure, or with sorrow,
All must answer, all must go,
They must go with unveiled faces,
Clothed in virtue and in pride,
For the Host has set their places,
And He will not be denied.

THE Arabs, until the coming of Mohammed, were scattered tribes, with no religious tie and knowing only the law of force. They fought continually, tribe with tribe; and Might was right.

Some of the tribes were pagans, some were Israelites; some were Christian, and some were nothing at all but human animals.

Mohammed was of the Koreishite tribe; charged with guarding the Temple of the Kabba. Orphaned young, he became a driver of caravans, and on his journeys he informed himself regarding all the different beliefs of various tribes, became familiar with all the sacred books, and observed the growing decadence of the country, torn with petty wars and disturbed by conflicting faiths.

Marriage Gave Philosopher Time to Deal with Problems of Day

A natural philosopher and of a serious, meditative mind, Mohammed spent long hours in thought on these subjects, and he communicated the result of his meditations to his companions.

He soon earned the reputation of being a holy man and something akin to a sage. But not until after he married a rich widow, Khadidja, was he able to devote his whole time to religious studies and meditations. After his marriage, which released him from material cares, he spent whole days in prayer, and declared he had communication with the Angel Gabriel, and that he was bidden to preach the true gospel to men.

He was persecuted by the Koreishites of the Temple of Mecca and forced to fly to Medina. This was in 622 of our era. And from the hour of his flight Mohammed became the great religious power of the Arabs. He lived only ten years after that date, but died leaving millions of converts to his faith. During his death sickness he wrote the Koran, which contains all the laws for governing the social, political and domestic life of the Arabs.

Laws Which Now Seem Crude Did Much Good at That Time

It is customary for the Christian critic to think of Mohammed as a selfish and sensual man, making laws which permitted him and his followers full license.

But in truth, Mohammed gave a social code which elevated the social state of his people far above any condition existing among them previously.

Until he wrote the Koran there had been no law which gave dignity or sacredness to the family life. Mohammed saw the necessity of some kind of protection for women and children, and for some sort of ideals regarding the responsibility of the man as a husband and father.

Crude and selfish as these laws seem to us today, placed beside modern social systems, where woman is a prominent factor, they were progressive at the time they were formed.

Protection of Women Meant Growth of Character in Wild Arab

The Arabs were wild, untutored and semi-savage men. To give each man four women to protect and care for, and to make each man realize that any negligence toward these women was a sin against the one and only God, meant growth of character. For, until then, the women had no rights, and no protection from the man's transitory impulses. She belonged to the strongest man for such time as he chose to keep her in his tent. That was all.

Mohammed reasoned that with four wives to provide for with their offspring, men would be made industrious and provident, and knowing the fierce passions of the Arabs, and the ignorance of the women, he laid much stress upon secluding the weaker sex, and shielding the women from temptations.

In the year 622, among the Arab tribes, these laws were excellent laws. But to the modern mind they seem absurd and one-sided.

AMBITION

By JANE M'LEAN

HE picked a star to follow, high
Above it glimmered frosty, cold;
And yet it warmed the quiet sky
Because his errant heart was bold.

He wove his dreams about it, till
It stood for all he hoped to be—
Hanging aloft, remote and still,
Bearing its message frostily.

The day he, conquering, leaped to fame
The star burned brighter, grew apace—
Touching his life, his dreams with flame,
He knew it for a woman's face.

In-Shoots

The man with an easy look often has a time lock on his pocketbook.

The most pompous rich man is generally the fellow who got it by pure luck.

The widow who remains long a widow is very indifferent or very unwidowlike.

It is better for a woman to lug a small dog about than to spend her time looking after the affairs of her neighbors.

"Mamma's darling" generally looks like a brat to the other people in the neighborhood.

We can all heartily recommend love in a cottage—for the other couple.

When telling the truth it is better not to flavor it with lemon juice every time.

Hero worship is a good deal like the admiration bestowed on a sky rocket. No one ever seems to notice the return of the stick.